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I. ROGERS, Proprietor.

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Mail on B. N. Y. & P. (Olean and Bradford) arrives at [illegible] p. m. and [illegible] p. m., and leaves at [illegible] and [illegible] p. m.

Mail on K. N. & K. R. R. arrives at 10 a. m. and [illegible] p. m., and leaves 7:30 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.

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Office open [illegible] Sunday for delivery of mail from [illegible] p. m.

M. A. SPRAGUE, P. M.

Lodge Directory.

F. & A. M.

McKean Lodge, No. 388, F. & A. M., meets on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at 7½ o'clock p. m., at Masonic Hall, Main street.

B. F. CRAWLEY, W. M.

[illegible] SMITH, Sec'y.

A. O. U. W.

Smethport Lodge, No. 163, meets every Tuesday evening in the A. O. U. W. Hall, Backus block.

J. C. GALLUP, M. W.

[illegible] Powers, Recorder.

G. A. R.

Post [illegible], G. A. R., meets every Thursday evening in the A. O. U. W. Hall, Backus Block.

John Backus, Com.

[illegible] Burlingame, Adj't.

I. O. O. F.

Meets every Friday evening at Backus Hall.

Wm. HOLMES, N. G.

[illegible], Sec'y.

Churches.

METHODIST.—Wm. SHIPLEY, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. every Sunday. Sabbath School immediately after morning services. Class Meeting at 10 a. m. [illegible] Prayer Meetings on Thursday evenings [illegible] S. S. Teacher's Meetings [illegible] Friday evenings at 7 o'clock. Choir Meetings on Sunday evenings at 7 o'clock.

[illegible] pastor. Preaching at 10 a. m. and half-past 7 p. m. Sabbath School directly after morning services. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evenings at 7 [illegible] meetings Saturday before the [illegible] Sunday in every month. Lord's Supper [illegible] All are welcome.

[illegible] J. HUNTER McCANDLESS, Rector. Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and [illegible] Additional services at [illegible] p. m., except [illegible] Sunday of each month. Sunday school at [illegible]

ST. ELIZABETH CATHOLIC CHURCH [illegible] pastor. Mass at 11 a. m. [illegible] at [illegible] p. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Services on each alternate Sunday at Smethport and Clermont.

Borough Officers.

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[illegible]—Frank Moses.
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Constable—H. L. Burlingame.
School Directors—Frank Gleason, H. L. McCoy, [illegible], J. C. Backus, E. L. Keenan, [illegible] Wilson.
[illegible]—[illegible], F. Ford.
Auditors—[illegible] Richmond, W. Z. Georgia.
[illegible]—A. C. Hamlin, A. D. Garbank.
Judge of Election—S. A. Guilford.
Inspectors—S. A. Backus, G. H. Smith.
[illegible]—Warley Guilford.

Official Directory.

DISTRICT AND COUNTY.

President Judge—A. G. Olmsted, Coudersport, Potter Co.
Associate Judges—Henry Hamlin, Smethport; P. M. Fuller, Bradford.
Member of Congress—W. W. Brown, Bradford.
State Senator—L. Emery, Jr., Bradford.
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Sheriff—A. F. Bannon, Smethport.
Prothonotary—J. M. McElroy, Bradford.
County Treasurer—C. C. Melvin, Bradford.
Commissioners—W. D. Gallup, Smethport; E. [illegible] A. Blaisy, [illegible]
County Clerk—John E. Shannahan, Smethport.
Jury Commissioners—T. F. Pattison, E. F. Clark.
Auditors—A. P. Brewer, Thos. Osborne, [illegible] Barrett.
Mercantile Appraiser—F. W. Barden, Eldred.
Coroner—E. A. Dempsey, Bradford.
County School Superintendent—M. G. Campbell.
Regular Terms of Court—Fourth Monday in February, May and September, and third Monday of December.

STATE.

Governor—Robert E. Pattison.
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Secretary of Internal Affairs—J. Simpson Africa.

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LEGAL.

Orphan's Court Sale.

ESTATE OF WILLIS R. RIPLEY, DECEASED.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF THE Orphan's Court of McKean county, there will be exposed to public sale at the residence of Flora H. Ripley, in Keating township, on the premises hereinafter described, on

TUESDAY, SEPT. 29th, 1885,

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following land, situate, lying and being in the township of Keating, county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to-wit:

Beginning at a birch, the northeast corner of what was formerly known as the William Ripley farm; thence along east line thereof south fifty-two and three-tenths perches; thence west one hundred and ninety-[illegible] perches, thence north thirty-four degrees west eleven and three-tenths perches; thence north forty-eight degrees east sixty perches to a stone, [illegible] west corner of said farm of William Ripley, thence along the north line thereof east one hundred fifty-three and eight-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing sixty and three-tenths acres, be the same more or less. Being a portion of the land conveyed by the Bingham trustees to William Ripley, and being same premises conveyed by William Ripley to the said decedent, Willis R. Ripley, by deed bearing date December 29, 1874 and recorded in Book "[illegible]" of deeds, page [illegible], &c. On which are the following improvements, to-wit: A one and one-half story frame house, two frame barns with the necessary outbuildings and appurtenances, an apple orchard of about thirty trees and a spring of water brought to the house in pipes.

Terms of sale—Seven hundred dollars cash on confirmation of sale, and the balance in two equal annual installments with interest. Deferred payments to be secured by judgment note or by bond and mortgage on the premises.

FLORA H. RIPLEY, Administratrix.
Backus & Gorton, Att'ys.
Smethport, Pa., Sept. 4, '85.—4t.

Notice.

The following accounts of Executors, Administrators and Guardians, having been settled in the office of the Register, the same will be presented for confirmation at an Orphans' Court to be held at Smethport in and for the county of McKean, and state of Pennsylvania, on the first Monday of October, A. D. 1885.

First partial account of Wm. J. [illegible], administrator of the estate of Charles H. [illegible], deceased.

First partial account of P. M. Fuller, Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth A. Fuller, deceased.

Account of Rowella C. Imus, Administratrix of the estate of Wm. A. Imus, deceased.

Account of Henry Morse, Administrator of the estate of Robert Morse, deceased.

Final account of W. [illegible] Huston, guardian of Marion Huston, Clarissa P. Huston, Rebecca H. Huston and Robert Grant Huston, minor children of Wm. Huston, deceased.

Account of Walter A. Bennett, guardian of Myrtle Lovejoy and Lillian Lovejoy, minor children of A. P. Lovejoy, deceased.

J. M. McELROY, Register.
Per H. M. [illegible], Dep'y.
Smethport, Pa., Sept. 10, 1885.—4t.

Court Proclamation.

The Hon. ARTHUR G. OLMSTED, President Judge, and the Hons. HENRY HAMLIN and P. M. FULLER, Associate Judges of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court and Court of Common Pleas for the county of McKean, have issued their precept, bearing date Friday, June 27th 1885, and to me directed, for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court, and Court of Common Pleas, in the Borough of Smethport, on Monday, the 5th day of Oct., A. D. 1885, and to continue two weeks.

Notice is therefore hereby given to Coroners, Justices of the Peace and Constables, within the county that they be then and there in their proper persons at 2 o'clock p. m., of said day, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations, and other remembrances, to do those things which their offices appertain to be done. And those who are bound by their recognizances to prosecute the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of said county of McKean are to be then and there to prosecute against them as well as just.

Dated at Smethport, this Sept. 12th, 1885, and the 110th year of the Independence of the United States of America.

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.

Trial List,

FOR SECOND MONDAY OF OCT., 1885.

1. T. J. Heller vs C. D. [illegible] William H. Burge, No. 136, October Term 1885. Feigned issue.
2. The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at the suggestion of Joseph W. French and Milton Coit partners as French & Coit, vs. G. W. Sartwell and S. J. Rockwell. No. 441, May term 1882. Debt on official bond of sheriff G. Sartwell. Defendants plea filed.
3. W. D. Roberts & Son vs. Thomas Argue, No. 661, September Term, 1882. Appeal. Plea—Nil Debit.
4. W. H. Staley and W. H. Nicholson vs. A. T. Newell, No. 34, December term 1884. Appeal. Plea—Nil Debit.
5. National Tube Works Company vs P. E. Applebee, T. M. Aiken and Chas. Aiken partners as Applebee & Co. No. 30 December term, 1884. Appeal. Plea—Nil Debit.
6. J. F. Cochran and N. A. Rhodes, partners as J. F. Cochran & Co., vs. Chas. Glass, Frank Glass and Ernest Glass, partners as Glass Bros. No. 71, December term, 1882. Appeal. Plea—Nil Debit.
7. Frank Morris vs. C. E. Whitehead. No. 77, December term, 1882. Appeal. Plea—Nile Debit.
8. W. D. Roberts & Son vs W. F. Book and J. M. Pauling. No. [illegible], December term, 1882. Appeal. Plea—Nile Debit.
9. W. D. Roberts, surviving partner, etc., of E. A. L. & W. D. Roberts vs. W. F. Book and J. M. Pauling. No. 91, December term, 1882. Appeal. Plea—Nil Debit.
10. J. and P. Hager vs. J. C. Fox. No. 254, December term, 1882. Trespass on the Case in Assumpsit.—Plea Non-Assumpsit, payment set off, etc.

Administrator's Notice.

WHEREAS LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION have been issued to the undersigned administrator of the estate of Polly Messenger, deceased, late of Ceres township, McKean county, Pa., all parties having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly authenticated, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to

JOHN J. ROBARTS, Adm'r.
Ceres, Sept. 1, 1885.—6t.

Notice in Divorce.

A. D. No. 41, Dec. Term, 1885.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss.—THE COMMONWEALTH of Pennsylvania to the sheriff of said county, greeting:

Whereas, Mrs. C. Weber, by her next friend, J. G. [illegible], did, on the [illegible] day of Oct., 1885, prefer her petition to our said Judges of the said Court of Common Pleas of said county, praying for the causes therein set forth she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you, James H. Weber.

We therefore, command you, the said Jas. H. Weber, that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever, you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport, at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the county of McKean, on the 1st Monday of Oct. next, to answer the petition or libel of said Mrs. C. Weber and to show cause, if any you have, why the said Mrs. C. Weber, your wife should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony, agreeably to the Acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

Witness the Hon. A. G. Olmsted, President of our said Court, at Smethport, this [illegible] day of Sept. A. D. 1885.

Attest: A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.
C. J. Shannahan, Att'y.

Notice in Divorce.

A. D. No. 170, May Term, 1885.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss.—THE COMMONWEALTH of Pennsylvania to the sheriff of said county, greeting:

Whereas, Arabella M. Marks by her next friend Dickinson Hall, did, on the 11th day of April 1885, prefer her petition to our said Judges of the said Court of Common Pleas of said county, praying for the causes therein set forth she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you, James L. Marks.

We therefore command you, the said Jas. L. Marks, that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever, you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport, at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean, on the First Monday of Oct. next, to answer the petition or libel of said Arabella M. Marks and show cause, if any you have, why the said Arabella M. Marks your wife, should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony, agreeably to the Acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

Witness the Hon. A. G. Olmsted, President of our said Court, at Smethport, this 8th day of Sept. A. D. 1885.

Attest: A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.
Barry & Jack, Att'ys.

Assignee's Notice.

In the matter of the assignment of N. D. Chatterson for the benefit of creditors. | In the Court of Common Pleas of McKean county, Pa. No. 383, Oct. Term, 1884.

TO ALL PARTIES CONCERNED.—Take notice that Thos. A. Morrison, assignee of N. D. Chatterson, has filed his first and final account as such assignee, and that the same will be presented to the Court of Common Pleas for allowance at a session of said court to be held at Smethport, Pa. on Monday the 5th day of October 1885, at 2 o'clock p. m., and the same be allowed and confirmed, unless cause be shown to the contrary.

J. M. McELROY, Prothonotary.
[illegible] P. BRAWLEY, Dep'y.
Smethport, Pa., Sept. 18th, 1885-3t.

For Sale.

The subscriber offers for sale two billiard tables—one carom and one pool—at prices and upon terms which enables any man to purchase. For definite information call upon F. H. TAYLOR.
Smethport, Pa., Aug. 4, '85.—tf.

BOROUGH LOTS FOR SALE!

The subscriber offers the following borough lots for sale upon the most reasonable terms. In square 67, the two lots adjoining the property of Geo. K. Moore, four rods wide on Main street and running back to King street 10 rods in length for THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

The two lots adjoining on the east 4 by 16 rods in size, THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

The two lots adjoining the last on the east of the same size and lying along Nelson street, THREE HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS.

In square 47 and 48 which lie on King street, directly back of the Geo. Moore and Mrs. McElroy squares, are eight lots [illegible] in size. The lots adjoining Allegheny and Nelson streets will be sold for TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS each. The inside lots of those squares for TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS each.

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L. ROGERS.
Smethport, Pa., Aug. 25, 1885.

Timber Lands for Sale.

The subscriber offers the following lands for sale upon terms to suit purchasers:

In Sergeant Township, in subdivisions Nos. 45, 57, 62 and 75

Three Hundred Sixty-Three and Five-Tenths Acres,

and in subdivisions 79 and 94,

One Hundred and Thirteen Acres.

These lands are heavily timbered with Hemlock, interspersed with Cherry, Ash and other valuable hard woods. They lie on the head-waters of Red Mill brook, a tributary to Potatoe Creek and within a mile of the B., N. Y. & P. R. R.

In Hamilton Township, along the west end of Warrant 5575.

Two Hundred and Fifty Acres.

This tract lies close to the Warren County line and between the Sugar Run and Dew Drop oil developments. It is worth double the money asked for it for the timber alone.

In Wetmore Township, in Warrant 3764.

Two Hundred Acres.

This piece is on the south fork of Tionesta Creek, and is also heavily timbered with Hemlock and hard woods.

Wm. P. Weston, Esq., of Kane is agent for the sale of this tract.

L. ROGERS.
Smethport, Pa., Aug. 25, 1885.

Port Allegany High School.

The Fall Term of the Port Allegany High School will open on

MONDAY, AUGUST 31st, 1885.

Tuition for term of Three Months.

Academic	$ 6 00
Intermediate	5 00
Primary	4 00
Music (24 lessons)	10 00
Use of Instrument	2 00

The School Year is divided into three terms of three months each. Students can enter the school at any time, and pay from the time of entering. A Teachers' Class will be organized and taught by the Principal for the special training of those who intend to teach. Rooms can be obtained for self-boarding at reasonable rates. For further information address

E. HORTON, Principal.
Port Allegany, Pa., Aug 3, 1885.—tf

Smethport Graded School.

The Autumn term of the Smethport Graded School will commence Monday, Sept. 7, 1885.

Beside thorough instruction in the common English studies, instruction will be given in the Higher English and classical branches at moderate expense to those passing satisfactory examinations in the common branches. Free instruction given in Vocal Music, Drawing, Gymnastics, and in Rhetorical and Industrial work in all departments. Private instruction given in Music, Drawing and Painting, Book-keeping, German, &c., at moderate rates.

Three months constitute a term.

COST OF TUITION TO NON-RESIDENTS:

Primary Department	$ 4 00
Intermediate	5 00
Grammar School	6 00
English Academic	7 00
Classical	8 00

☞ Catalogue of the school and all further information will be furnished on application to W. L. McGOWAN, Principal.

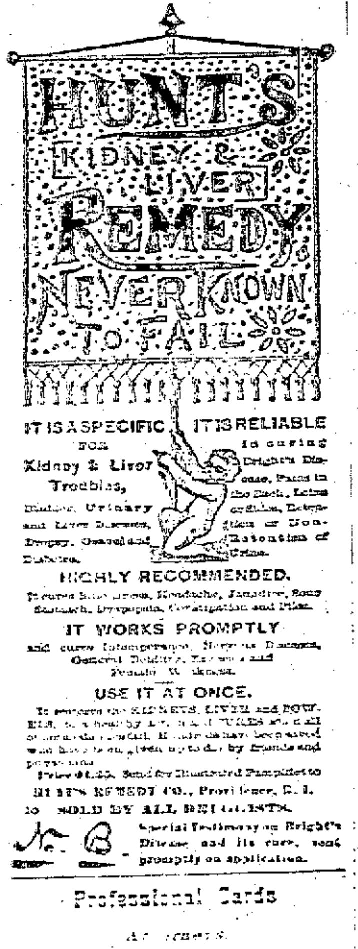
E. L. KEENAN, Sec'y. of Board. | DR. H. L. McCOY, Pres't of Board.

Court Proclamation.

THE HON. A. G. OLMSTED, PRESIDENT Judge, and the Hons. HENRY HAMLIN and P. M. FULLER, Associate Judges of the court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphan's Court and Court of Common Pleas for the county of McKean, have issued their precept, bearing date Friday, June 12, 1885, and to me directed for holding a Court of Common Pleas at the borough of Smethport, on Monday, the 28th day of Sept., 1885, and to continue one week.

Dated at Smethport, September 12, 1885, and in the 110th year of the Independence of the United States of America.

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.



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ARCHITECT AND SUPERINTENDENT,
Smethport Pa.

THE QUAKER MAIDEN.

[Mrs. Harriet Maxwell Converse.]

Her dreamy penitential face
Is shadowed by a human grace;
Her solemn, lustrous, spiritual eyes
Reflect the shades of earthly skies.

In sober folds her golden hair
Has prisoned sunbeams in a lair;
With aspirations in her dreams
Young Love is singing gentle themes.

Within the 'kerchief o'er her breast
A lily lies in swooning rest;
A roselet languished there at morn
In fevered blushes and forlorn.

No clamoring sighs disturb her peace;
Inaudible in calm they cease;
Restrained within a proper sphere
They wait in silence and in fear.

Yet while the sun is following day
Lest one lone wanderer go astray,
And, lest within a reckless thought,
Betray the secret love has brought!

Sweet Quaker maiden, o'er thy face
Thy soul has veiled a stainless grace,
Yet through thy sighs thy heart doth prove
The first shy gift of dawning love!

TOO LATE.

[Charles E. Whitney in N. O. Times-Democrat.]

The morning was filled with sunshine. The streets of New Orleans leading toward the rear of the city seemed bedded with ox-eyed daisies, so yellow was the early morning light that flooded them. The bright green leaves of the sycamore trees in the archbishop's garden were splotched with prismatic gold where the light touched them, and the red tiles of the old Spanish houses in the more ancient portion of the town threw off the dust of years and welcomed the day with bright tones of orange and vermilion. From a lofty chimney top a solitary mocking-bird, filled with delight in the beauty of the new found day, was pouring out his minstrelsy with bursting throat as if the rosary of his notes was broken and he, in reckless prodigality, was scattering the silvery beads on those below.

With a blue cloth cap set jauntily on the back of his head, and a short cherry stick in his right hand, a trimly built young man sauntered out rue Ursulines, taking the middle of the street for his path as is common with the paysans of Europe. There were no vehicles out so early save a few straggling milk-carts, and he easily avoided them. As he went along he twirled between his thumb and forefinger the little cherry stick in so dexterous a manner the servants on their way to market were attracted to the little pedestrian, and set him down at once as some wandering street singer. Perhaps this judgment was somewhat strengthened by his foreign appearance.

His trousers, of creamy white velveteen, were inches too long for the short but active legs, and they hung in loose wrinkles and folds over his hob-nailed shoes, almost concealing them. The easy-fitting blue cotton blouse added its evidence, and a second glance would assign the loiterer at once to the vine-clothed terraces of France. Square set shoulders, erect head, and swinging military step conveyed an impression of the drill sergeant's work, which was confirmed by the bronzed face and pointed little mustache. He had evidently seen service.

As the notes of the mocking-bird caught his ear he stopped suddenly and looked inquiringly around. At last he saw the songster on the chimney. He seemed puzzled. A few cheery notes of the meadow lark had transported him back again over the sea, but when the song, in trills and crescendo, skipped gracefully from lark to linnet, and so through the complex score of many birds, the wayfarer seemed astonished at this musical wonder. Whistling to himself a gay chanson of Beranger he took up his walk down the middle of the street.

Taking from beneath his blouse a letter soiled with much handling and reading intently a few lines of the scrawling handwriting, he glanced up at the numbers on the houses. He evidently had not reached the place of which he was in search, for he replaced the letter carefully and renewed his march. Again and again the letter was drawn forth until, at last, he paused before a tall brick residence with a broad veranda extending over the sidewalk, and a wide porte cochere.

He looked up at the windows, but they were closed. It was evidently too early for the people to be about, so he took a seat on the steps of a cottage opposite and waited. He had traveled so far and so long, now that he had reached his journey's end he was in no hurry to end the delicious anticipations that had been his constant companions. Yes, he would wait.

He took from his pocket a Marseilles pipe, and filling it with tobacco from a silk embroidered pouch, lighted it with one of those little wax en matches that go off with a snap, and puffed vigorously. With a smile of intense self satisfaction he watched the smoke curl in wreathes and long serpentine clouds, as it drifted away in the sunlight, never relaxing his gaze, however, on the great door opposite. When he had finished smoking, he put the pipe carefully back, and with the end of his cherry stick began to make hieroglyphics on the sidewalk in an abstracted manner. Then he fell to whistling, at first soft and low, but as he grew interested in the old and familiar air, he increased the volume of his shrill notes.

As at once he saw again the chestnuts of his native place, and the long lane bordered with poplars leading toward Goberoy in Normandy. He could even distinguish through the under-brush the sparkling waters of the little river Terrin and he thought he could hear the bells calling the faithful to early mass. As he whistled, the picture grew more distinct, and a girl, driving before her a solitary cow, passed under the shadow of the mulberry trees. Ah! He knew who that was! and he ceased whistling to murmur, "My angel."

A sound aroused him and drew his eyes once more across the street. The little gate in the porte cochere was open, and a mulatto woman came out with a pitcher in her hand.

The little man in the blouse immediately rose and stepped across. He addressed the old housekeeper. Did she know a girl named Celestine Naudet, a girl from Normandy?

Yes, she knew her. She had lived three years in this house—ever since she came from France.

The little man's eyes sparkled. His cheeks grew redder beneath the tan and bronze of exposure. "Could he see her?"

The colored woman eyed the stranger closely. Could this be the Alixe, Celestine had spoken of so often? She would see. "Is it so, in her creole patois, she asked. "Is cou it li to frair?" The little man at first did not understand, but then the question solved itself. "No, he was not precisely her brother, but an old friend—un vieil ami."

The mulatto woman smiled sadly, and in a desperate endeavor to tie her tignon tighter answered, "Aha! that is all." She seemed to take a greater interest in the young man. She told him that Celestine was no more at their house. She had gone away two months before, but she would tell him where to find her. Ah, yes, she was well. Then she pointed in the direction of the city park, and described a little house on the Metairie road with a dairy just beside it. It was far to walk, yes. It was two miles.

The blue cap nodded thanks, and with the blouse, the velveteen trousers and the hobnailed shoes, started hastily in the direction pointed out.

The old mulatto woman followed him with her eyes as he passed out of sight down the middle of the street. When the last of the little cloud of dust appeared, she shook her head sadly and muttered: "Pauvre enfant, pauvre enfant!" Then the milk cart came up and her ruminations were interrupted.

As he walked on the houses were more scattered. Open lots and dilapidated fences became more frequent. The city lay behind him and the course of the street was more difficult to follow. Then he came to the open commons and he stopped under a tree to rest. The grass looked so cool and green, and the landscape so different from the city. He lay down at full length, and, resting his chin in his hands, gazed out at the level plain as one who had not seen the fields for many a day. The live oaks of the park were to him the chestnut trees in the park at Goberoy, the cows the same he knew as a boy, and a lone mulberry recalled those lofty trees that looked over the walls of the convent at home. The cool breeze that came briskly from over the common refreshed him, and as no one was near he hummed in a delicate falsetto, "Ma Normandie." There was a touch of sadness in the voice, a tremulous quaver in some of the notes that indicated weakness on the part of the singer, but with a rub of his sleeve across his eye he stood up and started again on his walk.

He inquired his way from time to time, and receiving answers in his own language, he felt quite at home. It is true, the men he met driving cows afield spoke the tongue of the lower provinces, away down in Gascony, yet they were French, and that warmed his heart toward them. He was now far out from the city, and looking back he could see the spires of the churches, the smoke of the factories, and here and there the tall masts of the vessels in the great river. As he went along he talked to the cows as he used to do when a boy. He called them by the names of his father's herd. Then he fell to singing again. Why should he not be happy! The years of hardship, of toil, of waiting were over. He was about to reach to realization of his life's dream. "Ah, what a voice she had in those old days!" And those eyes—large, dreamy, dark ones—whose gaze made one tremble with delight.

"Ah, cherie," he whispered to himself, "you do not know how near I am to you."

At last he reached the park, and was astonished at the size of the oaks. They were larger than the big chestnut at home. He looked down the road for the little house beside the dairy. A surly-looking man on horseback told him there was such a house further down. He would find Mme. Pierrot who lived there at home, and the man rode on.

He hurried toward the place. The house was small, of three rooms only, with a garden in front and a horseshoe nailed to the step to keep witches away. A small dog was sleeping on the steps. He knocked on the door with his stick, and looked around. Everything was so quiet, the silence weighed upon him. From the distance he could hear the lowing of cattle and the crowing of cocks, but around him everything was still, save the monotone of the cicada. The pendant moss of the great oaks swung to and fro in the breeze, but its motion was noiseless. He did not like the feeling that came over him. And yet was not this the brightest day of his life?

"Entrez," came from within.

No more doubts now. No more weary hours of waiting. That voice in a million he would recognize. It was the voice of the little girl under the mulberries in Normandy. The cicada in the oaks overhead sung a livelier tune. The mosses danced to a gayer rhythm in the breeze.

He opened the door. There before him stood the owner of the voice. In her hand she held bunches of crisp lettuce, whose apple green color reflected a brighter light over her face. Her jet black hair was twisted into a knot on the back of her head, leaving bare the brow, which was low and broad. She was plainly dressed, but there was something in her quiet manner and comely face which left the impression that her present position was new to her.

When she saw the young man with the blouse she was surprised, startled, but she did not scream. As a rule, the most tempestuous moments of a woman's life, the climaxes of her fate, are met with silence and compressed lips. The strongest billows of emotion are not capped with foam.

There was a moment of silence and then the stranger rushed toward the pale woman. "Mon Ange Celestine." A motion of her hand kept him back. She withdrew to the other side of a table that stood in the middle of the floor, covered with fresh vegetables.

He impetuously advanced, but she held him off with a look, and in a low voice said: "Too late." He stood looking at her as one in a dream. He did not speak. He did not move. He was repeating her words over and over again. The lustre seemed to have left his eyes and his hands, tanned and roughened with work, became so white the finger nails seemed purplish by contrast.

At length he asked in a calm voice, "What do you mean, Celestine?"

"I am married."

"Yes!"

"It was two months ago."

"And you forgot me, then?"

The woman looked out of the window across the green commons. A man on a little sorrel pony was there amongst the cows. She sees the lump of mulberry trees in the distance, and she was again on the lane leading from Goberoy, in Normandy. A veil of mist or tears, which was it? obscured the vision. She turned to her visitor saying, "I did not hear from you for so long, I thought you dead."

"I wrote."

"The letters never came."

"Then all hope is gone?"

"All."

"And I can not stay here?"

"No. My husband, who knows all, would not like it. He has just left here on his horse."

"Ah, yes! I saw him."

"Well, you had better go. Adieu, Alixe."

"Adieu Celestine;" and with something like the grace of the courtier of the old Louis time he stopped and kissed the brown fingers of the mistress of the dairy. Without looking up he went out of the door and turned down the road.

When she saw him disappear behind a little grove, she left the window and went to her bed-room. Then the tears came, and falling on her knees she prayed to the Virgin to shield the wayfarer and hover over his steps. Softer than the sweetest note of the mocking-bird, there came on the breeze the plaintive notes of that old air, "Ma Normandie," whistled so tenderly each note was touching as a tear.

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When the good steamer Havre discharged her pilot off the bar at South Pass, it was nearly dark. The light from the distant lighthouse almost touched the horizon. Across the blue waters of the gulf of Mexico a tiny thread of gold stretched out from the lighthouse to the steamer, the last frail web connecting her with the shore.

As the distance grew greater the reflection became more attenuated, and at last it was broken and the luminous eye set below the horizon.

A steerage passenger, with a little blue cap and loose blouse, was leaning over the rail of the steamer watching the reflection on the water. When the thread snapped he turned his face toward the bow of the ship and puffed at his short Marseilles pipe.

The steady pulsations of the engine, as the vessel plowed through the phosphorescent water, fashioned itself into an old refrain, and keeping time to it the little steerage passenger hummed an old air of Normandy.

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One of the late numbers of The Army Gazette, published in Paris, contains a paragraph which, translated, read thus: "In the attack made on the citadel at Hue none behaved with more conspicuous gallantry than the little sergeant of the Third artillery, Alixe Guichot. With his own saber he dispatched nine Annamites and saved his piece of artillery. As the enemy were in retreat a shot from the flying herd struck the gallant soldier in the breast. As he fell he whispered hoarsely to his lieutenant: 'Tell Celestine,' probably referring to a sister at home."

Middle Age Anæsthetics.

[Frank Leslie's Magazine.]

In a paper read before the last meeting of the French Academy of Medicine M. Lagneau described his researches into the anæsthetics employed in Europe by physicians in the middle ages. That such were known is beyond any doubt. Abelard, speaking of the creation of Eve from a rib of Adam, speaks of the deep sleep which fell upon the latter as similar to that which physicians produce in patients upon whom they wish to operate. Pliny speaks of a stone of Memphis which, when crushed and treated with vinegar, renders any part to which it is applied insensible to pain; and many old authors speak of surgeons producing sleep in their patients before an operation by mixing with their food a decoction of the leaves or root of the mandragora, or some grains of the plant called "morion." Preparations of these two plants, as well as of other narcotics, were employed by surgeons down to the thirteenth and fourteenth centuries, but much less in subsequent times.

Opium was also used for a similar purpose, while in the east the anæsthetic properties of hemp have been known from the earliest times. These were all taken into the stomach; but anæsthesia by inhalation was also known. Two different preparations were discovered in the thirteenth century; one by a Dominican of Rome, the other by a surgeon named Theodoric, who was also a preaching friar, and subsequently a bishop. Both of these were prepared from opium, henbane, mandragora, hemlock, and many other plants, and were inhaled from a sponge. It is, however, difficult to believe that preparations so little volatile could produce anæsthesia by simple inhalation. M. Perrin, who has studied ancient anæsthetics, has given the composition of a liquid which contains all the ingredients required for chloroform, and it is said that this was applied to witnesses or prisoners who were about to be tortured in the judicial tribunals of the Middle Ages. After inhaling it the unfortunate subject was plunged into a semi-comatose state, which diminished in a certain degree the pain of the torture. This liquid was always kept in a place adjoining the torture-chamber.

Bees in India.

[London Standard.]

The Englishman, of Calcutta, states that the experiment made by Mr. J. C. Douglas, who has imported a hive of Italian bees, has been crowned with complete success. The bees appear to thrive admirably at Calcutta, and have yielded during the present season eighty pounds of splendid honey. This is considered to be a proof that a lucrative industry may be established in India, and a new dainty placed at the disposal of teeming millions of its land cultivators.

We fear that this exultation is premature. The experiment of establishing bees in countries of perpetual summer has been tried before now, and has failed signally. For a time the bees work diligently, and lay up rich stores of honey for their winter food. But so soon as the bee discovers that there is no winter, and that from year's end to year's end the flowers offer him a daily supply of nectar, he ceases to store up honey. Indeed, did the bee do otherwise he would forfeit much of his title to our respect as an industrious and thrifty creature. Did he labor as he does, ceaselessly and earnestly, for no other purpose than to store up honey for which he can never have any use, he would show himself to be an idiotic kind of insect, and in no way superior in moral status to the human miser.

A Chinese Calendar.

An enterprising New York Chinaman has published a Chinese calendar, printed in red like a firecracker label, and about the size of a circus poster.

Marie Antoinette's Wardrobe.

The wardrobe left by Marie Antoinette in her cell consisted of two dimity jupons, one dress and a jacquette in coarse cotton.

Organisms in Ice.

[Journal of Microscopy.]

Prof. Leidy relates that he had placed in his hands for examination a vial of water obtained from melting ice which is used for cooling drinking water. From time to time, among some sediment taken from a water-cooler, his informant had observed what he supposed to be living worms, which he suspected were introduced with the water into the cooler, not with the ice. Upon melting some of the ice alone, the worms were still observed, and the water submitted for examination was some that was thus obtained.

Professor Leidy was surprised to find a number of worms among some flocculent sediment, mainly consisting of vegetable hairs and other debris. Besides the worms, there were also immature Anguillulæ, and a number of Rotifer vulgaris, all living. It would appear that these animals had all been contained in the ice, and had been liberated on melting. It was an unexpected source of contamination of drinking water that Professor Leidy had previously supposed to be improbable.

"Romite," a New Explosive.

[London Iron.]

Herr Sjoberg, a Swedish engineer, has produced a new explosive which he calls "romite," and with which experiments have just been made at the fortress of Waxholm. The manufacturer claims that the explosive may be manufactured without any elaborate machinery; that it cannot explode even when closely confined, except when united, and that it cannot freeze. While its strength is very great, its cost is small. The experiments were carried out with a breechloader discharging shells to a distance of 1,090 yards, all the shells exploding with great effect; the blasting operations were entirely successful. A number of engineers and military officers witnessed the experiments, which were declared highly satisfactory.

Walking on Asphalt Pavement.

[Paris Letter.]

French laborers who walk barefooted upon the asphalt pavements are subject to swelling of the limbs. This ailment has been attributed to the effect of the vaporization by the heat of the feet of a small quantity of the petroleum or mineral oil which is contained in the asphalt. The nerves of the feet which govern muscular action and the contraction of the blood vessels form an extensive and very sensitive nervous network under the arch of the feet where the skin is always very thin and the nerves are consequently easily affected.

Crows' Language.

It is asserted that crows have twenty-seven distinct cries, calls or utterances, each readily distinguishable from the others, and each having an unmistakable connection with a certain class of action.

THE SPONGE INDUSTRY.

How the Business is Carried On by the Bahama Islanders.

[Albany Argus.]

Previous to about 1850 the Bahama islanders cared little for anything that was more tame than wrecking. That was the favorite business of both men and women, who thought virtually nothing of pursuing the ordinary methods of obtaining a livelihood. But when the number of wrecks were lessened by the erection of light-houses and the substitution of steam for sailing craft, the islanders gradually turned their attention to the cultivation of the soil and the exploration of the depths of the sea. The outcome became two-fold. The two industries that sprang up were the pineapple business and the sponge trade, which are now of such importance that they bring considerable money into the colonies, and furnish steady and lucrative employment to several thousand persons.

When the first sponges were taken out they were commercially divided into two classes, the coarse and fine, worth respectively 5 and 10 cents a pound. Now there are recognized to be nine classes, which, in the order of their values, are sheep wool, white reef, velvet, dark reef, boat, hardhead, grass, yellow, and glove. Of some of these varieties there are several grades. Bahama and Florida sponges are about of the same value, but they are both rated in market as inferior to those of the Mediterranean. Previous to the rebellion the amount of sponge gathered annually scarcely exceeded one ton, and it was worth on an average $26 per 100 pounds.

There are several hundred sponge craft each of eight or ten tons burden, and carrying from six to twelve men. Though these vessels merely coast along the banks and among the reefs, they carry six week's supply of provisions and do not run under lee except in case of a storm. The sponges are found where the water is shallow and are to be seen growing on the rocks and reefs. They are caught by diving, or by means of iron hooks fastened to slender poles. When first brought to the surface they are black, gelatinous, and soft, for the sponge proper is only the skeleton of a jelly-like sea animal. The catch, spread on the decks of the vessels, dies and the living covering decays, emitting a horrible order in decomposing.

When a cargo is secured the vessel puts in at its home bay and the sponges are placed in a pen of stakes at the water's edge, where the action of the tide tends to remove the black covering. The process is completed by pounding by hand, and the sponges are strung on strips of palmetto, each strip having four sponges, and being called a "beed." A cargo of "beeds" is worth from $100 to $300, and the sales and handling are substantially controlled by the Nassau Sponge Exchange company, limited, which is chartered and makes regular exchange sales.

After the sponges are clipped to good shape they are put to soak in vats of lime-water, and after several hours are dried and bleached in the sun. Next day they are pressed into bales, each two by three feet, and weighing 100 pounds. These bales, when incased in bagging and strongly corded are ready for shipment. All of the work from catching to shipment is done by native blacks. Nearly all go either to the United States or England, and the total worth exceeds $150,000, of which this country handles $100,000 or more.

Marseilles Vehicles and Horses.

[Foreign Cor. Philadelphia Press.]

Queer things in Marseilles are the vehicles and horses. The horses all have their tails cut off and are either extremely large or extremely small. One moment there passes a lady in a phaeton driving a pony the size of a large goat, and the next moment a fellow in a blue blouse comes along with a cart and a troop of horses almost as large as elephants. The cart or dray is an enormous two-wheeled affair, fully thirty feet long and drawn, sometimes, by eight or ten of these powerful horses, all tandem, and on each horse a lot of bells and a collar surmounted by a curved leather cone a foot or eighteen inches high. The procession is very picturesque and very absurd.

Bleached Sponges.

[Detroit Free Press.]

In the economy of modern life, nothing is permitted to go to waste. Old sponges are secured by city scavengers and bleached until they have a nice color, and are then resold.

But these bleached sponges are not any good. The acid takes all the life out of them, and when that is done the sponge is no good. An old sponge that has been through a process of bleaching with muriatic acid or sulphur has lost the essential nature of a sponge.

Ships Loaded with Wood.

[Chicago Herald.]

It is common to suppose that a ship loaded with wood can not sink. Yet according to the latest returns of the British board of trade it appears that during the past three years no fewer than 143 ships with timber were totally lost, with 457 lives.

Byron's Manuscript.

The original manuscript of Byron's popular poem, The Siege of Corinth, was purchased at a recent sale in London for $575.

The Egg Season in the Frigid Zone.

[Lieut. Schwatka.]

Early in July we commenced to live on eider-ducks eggs, the nests of which water-fowl could be found everywhere and especially near the shores of the large lakes. They were a delightful change from the seal and reindeer meat on which we had been living, or, at least, an acceptable addition, for we had no trouble finding them everywhere in the greatest abundance shortly after the first one was discovered.

The suddenness with which they became addled was almost startling. After having almost lived on them for a number of days, having three or four apiece at each meal, our cook one evening said that he had found nine or ten addled ones out of a dozen, and thereafter not a single good egg was ever found, although we kept on hopelessly testing them for three or four days after, until it was evident that we were only decreasing the ducks without deriving corresponding benefit. The way they were hatched out in the latter part of the month was equally surprising. It seemed as if a shower of young ducks had suddenly taken place, like the showers of frogs in superstitious times.

Monkey-Shines on a Railroad.

[Golden Days.]

The "Niddivunda gangmen" are the queerest railroad workers ever heard of. They are monkeys, and they are seen along the railroad near a place called Niddivunda, in India. These animals, in gangs of fifty or sixty, travel up and down the road, doing much damage. They begin by scratching the earth away from the side of the rails. Then they come to the bolts and nuts, with which they can do nothing; but they gaze at the iron work quizzically, as if trying to think out a plan of pulling it to pieces. When a train approaches, they wait till the locomotive is within a few yards, and then, with the utmost coolness, they hop aside, returning to the track as soon as the last car has passed.

Once a noteworthy incident took place. As the train drew near, the monkeys got off the track, with their usual jumps, except one animal, which showed no signs of saving itself. But five or six other monkeys of the squad, seeing the danger, ran upon the track, seized their foolish fellow, and bore it by main strength to a place of safety.

NEW IDEA IN SUMMER SCHOOLS.

A Scheme for Giving the Boys a Pleasant and Improving Vacation.

[New York Sun.]

"It has been the problem with parents of young and lively schoolboys in the city how to give them a vacation and yet keep them out of deviltry," said the principal of a large up-town private school recently. "An experiment has been tried for several years which has become popular, and seems to be a success. The plan is for a teacher to take the boys with him into the country, go with them in their rambles, and be a boy himself, while he looks out for the safety of his pupils. The teacher begins the exercise by visiting the boys' parents in the city. He tells them it is not good for boys to forget in their two months' vacation all they have learned in nine months at school. He proposes to continue school instruction at least five days in each week, for a short time each day. He will, besides, go fishing, riding, hunting, rowing, walking, or bicycling with the members of his summer school, and keep a sharp eye on their doings.

"This captures the parents. Few New York business men have a summer residence in the country where their children will receive watchful care. Their boys are a source of anxiety to them all summer. Every father who stays alone in the city is in constant dread of receiving a dispatch that his boy has shot himself accidentally, is drowned, or half killed in some escapade. The thought that he can escape this harrassing dread greatly pleases him. He does not haggle over the sum asked by the teacher. This is usually $100. It includes all expenses of transportation, and boarding, lodging, and tuition.

"Many of these summer vacation schools are scattered this summer through the eastern and middle states. The places usually selected for the school are near a body of water. This affords boundless fun for the boys in swimming, rowing, sailing, and fishing. I have in mind a summer school on an island in one of the little inland lakes in central New York. The teacher owns the island and has built a pretty little cottage for the school. It is more like a dwelling than a school-house. He has thirty boys from the city in his charge. They are not compelled to sleep in the house except in stormy weather. When it is cold and rainy the scholars amuse themselves indoors with books or games, or some musical instruments. The principal encourages the boys to practice on musical instruments, but he draws the line at accordeons. In the largest room of the house, however, the boys are expected to assemble every forenoon for two hours' study. In pleasant weather the boys camp out. Wall tents are put in two rows, with four boys in each tent. They are provided with ordinary cots. The teacher has a tent in the center of the camp, and in it the boys gather for their morning recitations. Their intellects are not overtaxed. The exercises consist of reviews of lessons previously learned in the city schools, spelling, arithmetic, and geography. Besides this, the teacher in his trips with the boys, either on land or water, seizes every opportunity presented to teach some fact in natural history. If a fish is caught he tells about its species, its peculiarities, the best way to catch it, and in what part of the country it may be found. Flowers and trees have their lessons on the land. The teacher finds sermons in stones, but he has to be careful not to be a bore.

"Miscellaneous visiting by strange boys is not permitted at summer schools. No one is permitted to mingle with them but the boys' parents. It is seldom that a boy's father or mother does not take a run into the country to see how their young hopeful is flourishing. This keeps the cooks and chambermaids in the cottage busy in the dog days, and brings a nice sum to the pocket of the principal.

"Boys like the scheme," added the teacher. "Tough boys are never allowed to enter such schools. The scholars have all the innocent liberty they could desire, and although it would seem that the boys would not have genuine unrestrained fun, yet in fact they do romp to their hearts' content, and when they don't know what to do next the teacher suggests something which sets them off again. It's a good scheme, and I'm going to try it myself next year. There's money in it."

"Churning" for Clams.

[Providence Journal.]

Two-thirds of the clams are got by "churning." The clam-gang wades out over the bed and shovels up mud and clams and everything that comes along into big wire baskets, which, when about full, are lifted out of the water, and a rinsing and shaking washes out the mud and leaves the clams. Two men and a boy attend to each basket, one man shoveling in the mud, the second getting out the clams, and the boy "culling" them. Churning can only be done at about half-tide, when the water is two or three feet deep, as, by the time the workman has to put his head under the water, when he bends over at shoveling, he soon has to give up the job. The suction on the shovels is tremendous, and they are made exceptionally strong.

When there are good tides, on the full and change of the moon, the clams may be raked out after the manner of the non-professional digger: a shovelful of mud is turned up at a time, and the clams it contains are raked out with a clam-hoe. Consideration of either of the above methods is sufficient for a true understanding of the happiness of the clam at high water. The clam ordinarily lies in the mud from two to eighteen inches; a clam that would bury itself much deeper than eighteen inches is not to be looked upon with favor.

The Soil of Manitoba.

[Chicago Herald.]

Some of the soil of Manitoba, analyzed, showed that the only element of fertility threatening to become deficient was lime. The proportion of nitrogen was greater than in the best English pasture soils, and potash and phosphoric acid were abundant. Magnesia was in large quantity, which is important in the raising of wheat.

Arkansaw Traveler: A sunny heart flashes dark tears through and through with laughter, until they go like dew-drops before the sun's warm kisses.

Stereoscopic Effects by the Magic Lantern.

[Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.]

Mr. Crowther, of Manchester, England, has invented a contrivance for the production of stereoscopic effects by means of the magic lantern. Two lanterns are used, each of which projects one of the two corresponding stereoptic transparencies, so that one picture is superimposed upon the other upon the screen. The light thrown from the lanterns is not white, but consists of complementary colors, as red and green. The observers wear spectacles colored of corresponding tints with those used in the lanterns, and each eye perceives only its appropriate view, the mind combining the two pictures into a representation possessing strong stereoscopic relief, and some peculiar properties of luster.

By a slight alteration in the adjustment the image can be made to advance and retreat, appearing suspended in mid-air between the spectator and the screen, somewhat after the manner of the well known illusions produced by concave mirrors. The inconvenience of supplying colored spectacles to a company of observers can be overcome, it is thought, by paralyzing each eye, as required, by alternately exhibiting a strong light of the complementary tint required.

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SENATOR SHERMAN calculates that the prohibition vote of Ohio this year will not exceed 15,000.

GEN. QUAY was in Wellsboro' last week where he was very cordially received. There will be no bolting in Tioga county this year.

It is said that Mr. Eyre of Philadelphia, who is endeavoring to get up a revolt against Quay, voted for Cleveland and wrote some very mean letters against Mr. Blaine.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN'S bloody shirt is a more reputable garment than the woman's cloak and shawl in which Jeff Davis cowered when he surrendered.—*Cincinnati Commercial.*

GEN. SLOCUM of Brooklyn could not be prevailed upon to accept the nomination for lieut. governor on the democratic State ticket of New York. It had too much the appearance of a forlorn hope.

THE preponderance of comparatively young men on the New York republican ticket is worthy of remark. The head of the ticket is but 41 years of age, the candidate for comptroller, 39, for attorney general, 37, and the candidates for state treasurer and state engineer well under 50.—*Brooklyn Union.*

THE mugwumps of New York are finally ousted. Dave Hill has affected them very much after the style of a dose of ipecac. They have joined the crowd of decent democrats who insist that they shall vote for the republican nominees. It looks now as though Davenport and Carr would sweep the State by a hundred thousand majority.

BEN. BUTLER expressed the belief the other day, "that his grandchildren would live to see Vanderbilt and the Goulds taken out to the nearest lamp post and hung." He could with considerable propriety have added millionaire lawyers of the Ben Butler stripe, who are robbing the people by extortionate fees far more oppressive than the corporations.

DEPUTY ATTY. GEN. SNODGRASS, in the Dauphin County Court the other day, asked for a rule to show cause why the officers of a lot of bastard Life Insurance Companies of this State should not be removed and their business closed. There are a great number of these frauds in Dauphin and adjoining counties and it is high time they were cleaned out.

THE democrats of Virginia have commenced shooting each other. In former political campaigns they have shot republicans. There is a possibility of a fair election down there on account of democratic quarrels. The shooting was in Abingdon on Sunday last. A Dr. White and two or three relatives, shot and probably fatally, Judge Ward, the editor of the *Examiner.*

GEN. BEATTY, of Ohio, one of the most powerful stump speakers of the entire country, in a recent speech in that State, said: "The republican party wants that peace and harmony and good feeling which come of fair play and equal rights, which come of free speech, free votes and a fair count, which come of a hearty and cheerful acquiescence in the recognized results of the war, which come of obedience to the constitution and loyalty to the flag of the republic."

HON. JOHN M. KIRKPATRICK, Additional Law Judge of Common Pleas Court No. 2 of Allegheny county, has tendered his resignation to Governor Pattison. Judge Kirkpatrick has for years past been a physical wreck. The last legislature appointed a commission to examine into his condition, and the report was unanimous for removal. The governor has hesitated about taking that step, but the judge has finally relieved him of all responsibility excepting the appointment of his successor.

CHIEF CLERK MCCAMANT of the Auditor General's office is a candidate for his principal's place. As Mr. Niles is ineligible for a second term, it would be strictly in accordance with civil service to promote his first assistant. Tom has been around the several departments of the State government so long that he has become a sort of an oracle who is uniformly referred to when snarls in the shape of intricate questions are to be unraveled. His ability to fill the position of Auditor General with credit is unquestioned.

DEMOCRATIC OPINIONS OF WEIGHT.

Every Pennsylvania democratic exchange received during the past two weeks, has published an article which first made its appearance in the Pittsburgh *Post*, in which the following extract occupies a conspicuous position:

"But worse than even this, Kemble was indicted, convicted and sentenced for his part. Then Colonel Quay, his late partner in 'corrupt solicitation,' stepped forward as a member of the board of pardons, to screen his confederate from the punishment of law and justice, amid the acclamations of the commonwealth, decreed should be the penalty of crimes. Colonel Quay pardoned Kemble to all intents and purposes. The moral responsibility rests on him to a greater extent than on any or all other officials."

The pardon board which remitted the imprisonment part of the Kemble sentence consisted of Attorney General Henry W. Palmer, Lieutenant Governor Charles W. Stone, Secretary of Internal Affairs Colonel A. K. Dunkel, and Colonel Quay, then Secretary of State. It is evident that the democratic publishers believe that their readers are not acquainted with the personnel of the board, otherwise they would not dare to assume that Colonel Quay was its ruling spirit. Any man who knows Henry W. Palmer, Chas. W. Stone and Aaron K. Dunkel is cognizant of the fact that they are three as incorruptible men as there are in the State. Colonel Quay influenced the action of one man on that board and only one. He knew well that he could not control the others and did not try to.

In the December following the pardon the surviving members of the Constitutional Convention of 1873 held a reunion at the Monongahela House in the city of Pittsburgh. Among those in attendance were Attorney General, Henry W. Palmer, ex-Chief Justice, Jeremiah S. Black, ex-Governor Andrew G. Curtin and the present Attorney General of the State, Lewis C. Cassidy. After the supper, speeches being in order, Mr. Palmer, among others was called upon. During his speech he referred to and justified the action of the pardon board in remitting the imprisonment portion of the Kemble sentence, on the ground of its illegal character. Judge Black followed and no gentleman present can have forgotten his remarks. He stated that when he first heard of the pardon he was in Scotland, and that he was much pained to know that such an occurrence could have happened in his native State. But after reaching this country and examining the law in the case he was satisfied that the pardon board was entirely justified in its action. Upon the conclusion of Judge Black's remarks Gov. Curtin took the floor, and in the most emphatic manner stated that had he been Governor and possessed with the power, he should not have hesitated to remit the imprisonment portion of Judge Pierson's sentence. Mr. Cassidy followed Gov. Curtin in a powerful speech, in which he reviewed the legal questions of the case and showed how Judge Pierson had exceeded his powers when he pronounced the Kemble sentence.

The opinions expressed by these gentlemen were largely endorsed by the legal fraternity throughout the State, some going so far as to declare the sentence a judicial outrage. It would be well for the democratic papers to know what they are talking about when discussing questions of this character.

THE OUTLOOK.

A writer in the Philadelphia *Press* of last Saturday, in speaking of the political outlook in eastern sections of the State, refers to the wrangles going on among the democrats in portions of certain Congressional districts as follows:

"In the same district is Carbon county, where last year about 300 Irish Americans voted the entire republican ticket from top to bottom. They propose to stay with the party of protection, and the republicans have taken up one of the number as a candidate for sheriff. In the eleventh district are also parts of Luzerne and Lackawanna, and in both counties all the Irish American organizations of last year have formerly proclaimed that they came into the republican party to stay, and that they are cordially for Quay as well as for the republican local ticket. In Lackawanna there still exists in all its old virulence the Beamish and anti Beamish feud, beside the race antagonisms. The leading German democratic organ, weary of the squabbles between the races, in which the Germans have never won recognition from the democratic managers, has come out boldly in support of Quay. An English democratic organ has taken the same course, so that the parties to the old quarrel in Lackawanna are left to fight their battles between themselves, while those not directly interested will vote the republican ticket.

In the next district, composed of Schuylkill county, republican prospects are even brighter. There are only two counties in the State, Schuylkill and Westmoreland, in which the Irish American vote cast for the republican county tickets exceeded that cast for Blaine. Blaine carried the county, which before was democratic by 2500, by seventy-two, while the republican county officers were elected by majorities averaging from 500 to 1200."

GEN. E. F. JONES of Binghamton has finally accepted the nomination for Lieut. Governor on the N. Y. democratic State ticket. The ticket as it stands to date is as follows:

For Governor—David B. Hill of Chemung.
For Lieut. Gov.—Gen. E. F. Jones of Broome.
For Secy. of State—Fred Cook of Monroe.
For Comptroller—A. C. Chapin of Kings.
For Atty. General—Dennis O'Brien of St. Lawrence.
For State Treasurer—Lawrence J. Fitzgerald of Cortland.
For State Engineer—Elnathan Sweet of Albany.

THE Irish are naturally protectionists. They have been educated by their experience in this country to appreciate the benefits of protection, by their enjoyment. It was protection and not the love of Mr. Blaine nor the love of the republican party that gave so many Irish votes to Blaine and Logan last fall. A prominent Irishman in this city said to me, not long since: "The Irish have but to look at Ireland to see what free trade brings."—*Troy Times.*

FLOWER OFF THE TRACK.

Hon. Roswell P. Flower of New York, was nominated for Lieut. Governor by the democratic convention in Saratoga last week. The storm brewing for the democratic State ticket of New York in November, was not of the character which Mr. Flower proposed to take stock in. The effect his letter of declination had upon the Albany officials is described in the following despatch.

Albany, Sept. 27.—Roswell P. Flower has addressed a letter to George Raines, chairman of the late democratic convention, positively declining the nomination for lieutenant governor. His action is a blow in the pit of the democratic stomach, and the democrats agree that he has taken this rare opportunity to drive his knife into the ticket with an especially vicious twist in revenge for past humiliations. Governor Hill's first knowledge of Flower's course was from an evening newspaper, and a thunderbolt launched from the clear sky into the executive chamber could not have produced a profounder effect. In his anger Flower did not even first notify the governor, but rushed with his letter to the associated press wires. The news soon spread through town and in a short time there gathered at the executive chamber, in consultation with Governor Hill, State Treasurer Maxwell, Senator Thatcher, Mr. Muller, the governor's political manager, Congressman Stahlnecker and a few others. Ex-Mayor Edward Murphy, an intimate friend of both Hill and Flower, came down from Troy a few minutes later.

While no conclusion was reached, so far as could be ascertained, the disposition of the democratic leaders is to bow down before the golden calf and beg Mr. Flower to save his party by changing his mind and taking the nomination. His letter leaves a small hole, it will be observed, through which he can be pulled back on the ticket again on the plea that he alone can save the party. Secretary Manning will probably be asked to get down on his knees with other democrats and supplicate Flower. Flower's letter is the more startling as it is understood that he imposed as a condition on the presentation of his name in the convention that there should be a union local ticket in New York, and to this, representatives of Tammany and Irving Halls and the county democracy agreed, in consultation with him. Attorney General O'Brien left for Watertown yesterday afternoon.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our regular correspondent.)

Another comparatively uneventful week has passed. Nothing of special interest has occurred at the white house or in the departments presided over by the different cabinet officers. Exciting political contests are going on in Virginia, Ohio and New York, but, owing to the policy of the administration to avoid interference in state politics these contests do not excite their usual interest here. The president said recently in conversation with some intimate friends that he had refused and would continue to refuse to take any active part in any state campaign, and the members of his cabinet have pursued the same course, but not without some hesitation. It is easy to see, and the president recognizes, that it is a difficult task for such men as Manning and Whitney to keep out of the New York canvass. Still, Mr. Cleveland said, with some satisfaction, that Secretary Manning declined to visit Albany this summer, although his private business required his personal attention, lest his presence there might be misconstrued and connected with some political movement. Secretary Whitney remarked just before the president left Washington, that he was quite convinced the administration had larger matters to attend to than looking out for state political connections. You may put it down as a certain fact that the administration will not bother with the local politics of the states, and all talk about Hoadly being renominated in Ohio to please the president, is without foundation in fact. The president recognizes that keeping the state machines well in hand is no part of the business of the administration.

Representative Morrison is in the city and in a conversation yesterday said that there would be an effort made in the next congress looking to a reduction of tariff taxation. As far as he knew there was no concerted effort, or combination with this end in view, but undoubtedly some one would offer such a bill. If his plan for a horizontal reduction should not find favor, probably a perpendicular scale might be presented and adopted. One thing was certain, however, there would be some tariff legislation by the forty ninth congress, but just what plans would be formulated he must decline to answer at present. Some of the persons who had been growling at him for his views on the tariff would be given an opportunity to support something better, for this question could not be evaded by the law makers of the United States.

Secretary Lamar's clerks very much regret the Secretary's illness. It has doubled their work. By being at home under the care of his physician, he escapes all the interviews that take up most of his time in the office, and consequently gets through a vast amount of real work. During the few days he has been at home he has gone through a small wagon load of official papers. He has kept his stenographer and half a dozen type writers busy, late and early. By the time the Secretary recovers he will have wiped out most of the work that had accumulated on his hands before his illness had commenced.

Prof. Alexander Agassiz, of Cambridge, who has been offered the position of superintendent of the coast survey, is the richest scientific man in America, with the possible exception of Alexander Graham Bell, and if he accepts the place it will be at much sacrifice to his personal comfort. Prof. Agassiz has been a munificent benefactor of Harvard College, giving hundreds of thousands of dollars to sustain that institution when its revenues have been reduced from time to time. The source of his great wealth is the Calumet and Hecla mine, in Michigan, which has yielded him millions. He has recently taken much interest in the coast survey, and in the columns of the New York *Evening Post* has defended its management in a manner which shows that he has the interests of the public service entirely at heart.

Senator Edmunds has forbidden his architect and builder to give any information to the papers about his new house on Massachusetts avenue. It is an odd looking affair, and neither the exterior nor the interior arrangement would suit the average taste, but the senator made many of the designs himself, and is very well pleased with his success in architecture. The entrance appears to be the most objectionable feature and would be more suitable for a fortress than a private residence, as it lacks the suggestion of hospitality.

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WASHINGTON, Sept. 28, '85.

IT is related that a gentleman from some northern city entered Mr. Lincoln's private office in the spring of 1863, and earnestly requested a pass to Richmond. "A pass to Richmond!" exclaimed the president: "Why, my dear sir, if I should give you one it would do no good. You may think it very strange, but there's a lot of fellows between here and Richmond who either can't read or are prejudiced against every man who totes a pass from me. I have given McClellan and more than 200,000 others passes to Richmond, and not a darned one of 'em has yet gotten there."—*Southern Bivouac.*

GEORGE WILKES, a notable man in his day, died in New York on Wednesday, of last week, in his sixty-ninth year. He was a New Yorker by birth and made an early notoriety in connection with flash newspapers. In 1849 he went to California, where he became associated with Broderick, who left him all his property. With this he returned to New York and established *Wilkes' Spirit of the Times*, a weekly sporting paper, which achieved a great success. He was essentially a Bohemian and altogether erratic, both in his literary and personal career.

A VIRGINIA democrat who has been presented with triplets by his wife has named them Cleveland, Hendricks and Reform, and the Baltimore *American* apprehends that, if names go for anything, the proud parent will have to build a fence between Hendricks and Reform to keep them from abusing and fighting each other.

List of Petit Jurors.

Drawn for Court of Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions to be held the Third Monday of October, 1885.

Austin, Orin—Bradford Tp.
Bullock, G. H.—Bradford city.
Baker, J. W.—Bradford city.
Baker, John—Smethport.
Bishop, Amos—Smethport.
Barden, E. A.—Eldred borough.
Cook, Henry—Keating.
Coleman, Henry—Liberty.
Dieffenbacker, A.—Hamilton.
Daley, Joseph—Rexford.
Eastwood, A. S.—Liberty.
Ester, Eli—Sergeant.
Fitch, A. R.—Sergeant.
Fairchilds, L. D.—Kansas Branch.
Fullmer, W. K.—Liberty.
Griffith, Geo.—Wetmore.
Gannue, J. H.—Bew.
Groff, Charles—Sawyer.
Gridley, O. W.—Gridley.
Gould, Charles—Belvin Farm.
Griffin, G. R.—Bradford city.
Haggerty, John—Bradford city.
Houghton, J. M.—Bradford Tp.
Hyde, W. F.—Kendall.
Irons, Geo.—Keating.
Lain, R. T.—Bradford city.
McMahan, M.—Bradford city.
McClure, J. F.—Keating.
Maxwell, A. J.—Port Allegany.
Nelson, John—Hamlin.
Oldwiler, Chas.—Tram Hollow.
Perkins, A. A.—Keating.
Phillips, A. C.—Summit.
Robinson, W. S.—Kendall.
Sharp, C.—Gilmore.
Smith, E. J.—Oil Valley.
Smith, Casper—Keating.
Sheldon, Chas.—Keating.
Wetsbrode, E. V.—Red Rock.
Wood, F. D.—Bradford city.

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.
D. F. PATTISON, } Jury Commissioners.
E. F. CLARK, }
Attest: JNO. E. SHOEMAKER, Clerk.
Smethport, Pa., Sept. 30, 1885.

Trial List,

FOR THIRD MONDAY OF OCTOBER, 1885.

1. Eliza Jane Pendleton, by her next friend Joseph [illegible] vs William E. Pendleton. No. 24, February term, 1885. Divorce. Answer filed.

2. Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, use of the county of McKean vs Pat Lane and John J. Lane. No. 80, May term, 1881. Sci. Fa. sur Recognizance. Plea—nul tiel record.

3. Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, for use of the county of McKean, vs Harry English, F. F. Kearns, E. G. Sutherland, Enos Parsons, James Roesler, J. E. Blair and Wm. C. Kennedy. No. 270, February term, 1883. Sci. fa. sur recognizance. Plea—nul tiel record.

4. Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, for use of the county of McKean vs Harry English, F. F. Kearns, E. G. Sutherland, Enos Parsons, James Roesler, J. E. Blair and Wm. C. Kennedy. No. 271, February term, 1883. Sci. fa. sur recognizance. Plea—nul tiel record.

5. Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, for use of the county of McKean vs James Mack, John Mack and John W. Boggs. No. 272, Feb term, '83. Sci. fa. sur recognizance. Plea—nul tiel record.

6. Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for use of the county of McKean vs Hattie Lyon and Thos. Blakely. No. 274, Feb'y term, 1883. Sci. fa. sur recognizance. Plea—nul tiel record. Payment with leave to give in evidence special matter.

7. Lewis Emery, Jr., vs John DeGolier, Francis DeGolier, James Amm, W. A. Fullman, Joseph [illegible], Dan O'Day, T. A. McLaughlin, F. H. Judd, George Lewis and Henry Lewis. No. 24, Dec. term, 1876. Ejectment for 51 acres, part of lot 311, Kingsbury survey, in Bradford township. Plea—not guilty.

8. L. A. Vard, assignee of A. Crawford vs J. J. P. Reed. No. 301, Sept. term, 1879. Replevin. Plea—non cepit. Property in himself.

9. Mary Carpenter, adm'x of Almon Carpenter, deceased vs John Dunn. No. 225, February term, 1881. Judgment opened. Plea—payment and the special matter contained in the affidavit of defence, &c.

10. John F. Shorter vs The N. Y., L. E. & W. R. R. Co. No. 300, Sept. term, 1881. Case. Plea—not guilty.

11. F. H. Foster vs D. F. Borchman. No. 50, May term, 1882. Trespass on the case in assumpsit. Plea—non-assumpsit, payment, set off with leave, &c.

12. Daniel Clark vs The K. & E. R. R. No. 222, May term, 1882. Case. Plea—not guilty.

13. W. H. Gallups, adm'r of estate of William Everall vs J. M. Fuller, J. L. King, H. A. Fuller and W. H. Hard, op. late co-partners as King, Fuller & Co. No. 141, Sept term, 1882. Assumpsit. Plea—nul tiel record, &c.

14. N. D. Preston vs Maria A. Harm. No. 267, Sept term, 1882. Assumpsit. Plea—non-assumpsit, payment with leave, &c., and set off.

15. The Relief Refining Co. vs The B. & P. R. R. No. 293, Sept term, 1882. Trespass quare clausum fregit. Plea—not guilty, &c.

16. S. D. Parker, Robert Bryan, John Cowles, J. H. Windsor and G. W. Windsor vs Alvin Hooker. No. 145, Sept term, 1882. Ejectment for 9 44-100 acres of land in Eldred township, part of lot no 24 and warrant no 1402, Keating allotment, etc.

17. John J. Carter vs W. F. Jordan and John H. Markham, as Markham & Jordan. No. 42, Dec. term, 1882. Appeal. Plea—nil debit.

18. E. T. Bissett, adm'r of estate of James Dasett vs Joseph Morgan. No. 70, December term, 1882. Appeal. Plea—nil debit.

19. N. Y., L. E. & W. R. R. for use of F. H. Hicks vs T. H. Freel and M. T. Hollahan, doing business as Freel & Hollahan. No. 74, December term, 1882. Appeal. Plea—nil debit.

20. E. F. Hazzard vs Belle Mahone. No. 111, December term, 1882. Appeal. Plea—nil debit.

21. Maria A. Harm vs N. D. Preston. No. 201, December term, 1882. Assumpsit. Plea—non-assumpsit, payment set off with leave, &c.

22. Levi S. Davis, surviving partner of John Davis & Son vs J. S. Barlow. No. 221, Dec. term, 1882. Trespass vi et armis. Plea—not guilty.

23. Amos Shealsmith vs W. D. James, J. L. Johnston, lately doing business as James & Johnston. No. 222, December term, 1882. Assumpsit. Plea—non-assumpsit, payment set off, etc.

24. Charles Willing and J. Pemberton Morris trustees of estate formerly of William Bingham, the elder, deceased, vs Addison J. Wheeler and [illegible] Wright. No. 253, December term, 1882. [illegible], under provisions of the act of 25th [illegible], 18[illegible], etc., for cutting timber trees, etc. [illegible]—Not guilty.

25. Hall & Rich, use of G. T. Richardson vs. Geo. Van Campen, Geo. Van Campen, Jr., and J. Van Campen as Geo. Van Campen & Sons. No. 493, December term, 1882. Appeal. Plea—[illegible].

Diabetes Cured.

New Orleans Picayune, Jan. 21, 1885.

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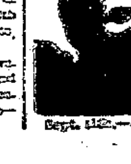

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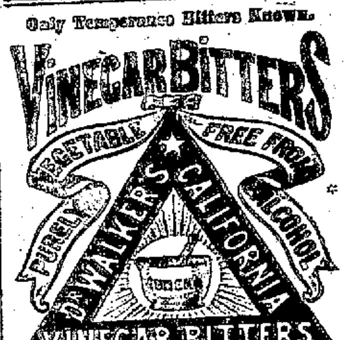

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List of Petit Jurors.

Drawn for Court of Oyer and Terminer to be held the Second Monday of Oct., 1885.

Agnew, S. B.—Bixford.
Brown, F. B.—Bradford city.
Bayer, Edwin—Norwich.
Burdick, Chas. H.—Norwich.
Bradton, F. H.—Ludlow.
Brennan, Pat.—Bolivar Run.
Boyd, G. H.—Sergeant.
Burdick, H. E.—Liberty.
Biew, Wm.—Wetmore.
Cornelius, John—Bolivar Run.
Christy, Sam.—Bradford Tp.
Curtis G. H.—Bradford Tp.
Conkle, A.—Keating.
Colegrove, Alpha—Norwich.
Carlin, R. S.—Duke.
Chase, Geo. W.—Bradford Tp.
Clark, W. H.—Bradford city.
Deshetler, Alex.—Smethport.
Eagan, John—Bradford city.
Gilbert, R. V.—Derrick.
Halley, T. C.—Tram Hollow.
Hackett, Jas. R.—Keating.
Hughes, John—Annin.
James, J. N.—Bradford city.
Knight, O. E.—Derrick.
Kinkaid—Bradford city.
Lamburg, John—Bradford city.
Lay, D. B.—Wetmore.
Moore, A. T.—Kendall.
McElhainey, E. R.—Dallas.
Nutt, Leander—Hamilton.
Peffer, Joseph—Hamilton.
Potter, J. W.—Bradford Tp.
Perry, A. J.—Kendall.
Pattison, S. W.—Hamlin.
Pratt, E. P.—Smethport.
Ross, Chas.—Wetmore.
Ralph, G. W.—Bradford city.
Rothstein, Meyer—Bradford city.
Rounds, C. B.—Eldred Tp.
Sullivan, J. E.—Bradford city.
Sloan, Wm.—Bradford city.
Stack, Thomas—Bradford Tp.
Strong, L. M.—Hamilton.
Tennant, J. C.—Bradford.
Watrous, Austin—Bradford Tp.
Wheeler, F. D.—Eldred.
White, A. C.—Norwich.
Whiteman, Ira—Kendall.
Wood, W. H.—Kendall.

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.
D. F. PATTISON, } Jury Coms.
E. F. CLARK, }
Attest: JNO. E. SHOEMAKER, Clerk.
Smethport, Pa., Sept. 25th, 1885.

List of Grand Jurors.

Drawn for Court of Quarter Sessions of McKean County, to be summoned for Oct. 5th 1885, first Monday.

Austin, E. A.—Bradford city.
Beers Geo.—Eldred twp.
Baker, H. B.—Otto.
Bessie, A. K.—Annin.
Berridge, Thomas—Bradford twp.
Barrett, G. N.—Keating.
Cory, A. B.—Keating.
Campbell, B. M.—Custer.
Cosolowsky, C. H.—Bradford city.
Coleman, E. W.—Bradford city.
Cullinan, Stephen—Bradford city.
Dreuman, Walter—Kendall.
Delarge, M. B.—Kendall.
Elder, H.—Bew.
Franklin, Benj.—Bradford city.
Galutia, A.—Eldred boro.
Keefe, D. F.—Smethport.
Keefe, M.—Bradford city.
Lauber, Louis—Bradford city.
Manning, Perry—Liberty.
Owens, Charles—Eldred boro.
Perry, Orrin—Sergeant.
Snyderly, C. H.—Derrick.
Wagner, W. F.—Otto.

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.
D. F. PATTISON, } Jury Coms.
E. F. CLARK, }
Attest: JNO. E. SHOEMAKER, Clerk.
Smethport, Pa., Sept. 19th, 1885.

Court Proclamation.

The Hon. A. G. OLMSTED President Judge, and the Hons. H. HAMLIN and P. M. FREEMAN, Associate Judges of the court of oyer and terminer and general jail delivery, quarter sessions of the peace, orphans' and court of Common Pleas for the county of McKean, have issued their precept, bearing date Friday, June 26th, 1885 and to me directed, for holding a court of common pleas, at the borough of Smethport, on Monday, the 19th day of Oct. 1885, and to continue one week.

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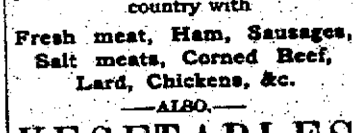

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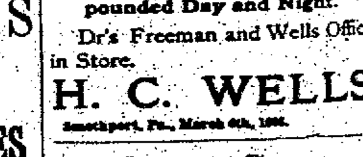

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McKean County Miner

Smethport, Pa., Oct. 2, 1885.

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LOCAL AND HUMOROUS.

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[illegible] 2

[illegible] 25th Monday

[illegible] at Sam McCarty's—five [illegible]

The lovely season of the year in this [illegible] is the present.

Now for a two weeks court, commencing next Monday.

Remember the grand opening at Mrs. Nash's on Wednesday next.

A fat take—marrying the 300 pound [illegible] girl.—Texas Siftings.

Court week but such a one, even the lawyers were out hunting for business.

Miss Mary English has been appointed Post Mistress at Derrick City.

The foliage which covers the hills [illegible] this town is gorgeous beyond description.

There will be no services in the Methodist church next sabbath excepting Sunday school.

The vice-president has had to go hunting in Washington. That is one of the inconveniences of not being president.

Ira D Shaeffer has received the appointment of postmaster at Dallas in this county. The "offensives" are rapidly disappearing.

Don't fail to attend the fair and [illegible] given by the Smethport Cornet Band on Wednesday and Thursday evenings of next week.

Next week we will publish an illustrated sketch of the life of Emperor William the distinguished Monarch of the German Empire.

Henry Herring is raising some enormous apples this year or those he left [illegible] the other day were picked from [illegible] a tree.

The gas [illegible] down over 1400 feet. The ground must be reached very soon. The well on the Hazzill lease is down [illegible] over 600 feet.

A game of base ball will be played between the Smethport nine and a nine [illegible] from the oil country Saturday afternoon. Go and witness it.

All alone, my dear child. I'm afraid that husband of yours neglects you. He's always at the club when I call. [illegible] but he's at home at other times.

Comrade Simon Martin of the [illegible] has our thanks for a few of the largest apples we have seen this year. And it only takes a few to fill a half bushel basket.

Jud Andrews of Bradford is a handsome man therefore the practical looking countenance in last Sunday's Harrisburg Telegram [illegible] does him proud. [illegible] for Judge Jude.

The [illegible] cases around the Bull[illegible] at the lower end of town, have all recovered with the exception of Mrs Kamin[illegible] is still low, but not considered dangerously ill.

Smethport picked up a scrub nine (Stif) on Saturday last and went to Bradford and defeated their favorite professionals by a score of 16 to 12. "Gold [illegible] when we got left."

We acknowledge the corn. Dad not see [illegible] of C. [illegible] Whitaker's picture in the Sunday Herald. It was a good one, [illegible] and the Telegram should have acknowledged the loan.

Col Wilcox and a Mr Wolf are making [illegible] hunting oil near the mouth of Cornen Creek in Liberty township. Everybody outside the oil producing crowd hope they will be successful.

Some crusty, rusty, musty, fusty, lusty specimen of a man proposed the following toast at a celebration: "Our [illegible]—may they be like our old maid—ever ready, but never wanted."

—The races, which came off at the [illegible] Thursday evening last, were very largely attended, the patrons expecting to see something "fine." They were disappointed. It was a "scrub" from beginning to end.

When Abe Wicks of Daves City gets real hungry he comes to the land of milk and honey alias Smethport and loads up. For [illegible] Bradford will do very well for a dainty meal but for the solids he is compelled to come here.

—Miss Josie Baker is a cake maker. She is only ten years old but she can beat a good many women who are "fat and forty" in making cake. We know because we had the pleasure of eating a good portion of one a few days ago which she made.

—The choir of the methodist church is receiving many encomiums for its music and is capable of giving much greater satisfaction, by its members attending the rehearsals, and remaining until the music for the following day is thoroughly gone over.

Goldsmith's Maid, the old "Queen of the Turf," died at her home near Trenton, N. J., on the 23d of Sept., at the age of 38. She trotted a mile on the Buffalo track in 2.14, which was unprecedented up to her day. She was the first to beat Dexter's 2.17¼ gait.

The Wren Company appeared at the Opera House on Monday evening last in "[illegible]." Fred Wren's personation of [illegible] was excellent and appreciated by all who attended. The rest of the characters acted as well as could be expected of a buckwheat company.

The Smethport Sir Knights, who attended the ceremonies of instituting the Warren Commandery, speak in the highest terms of their treatment while in that town. The Warrenites are noted for their hospitality but they evidently threw themselves on this occasion.

"Worth his weight in gold," was the estimate placed upon Mr. Alfred Standeventy by Rev. Bradley when speaking of his services in raising money for the church. Such [illegible] are invaluable to that church and it must be gratifying to him to know that his services are appreciated.

—John Durfus, who for the past year and a half has been employed in the meat market of G W Williams, left for his home in Meadville, Pa., yesterday, where he will go into business for himself. He is a very promising young man and will succeed wherever he is. Success go with you in your new undertaking.

PERSONAL MENTION.

We would deem it a favor if those having friends visiting in this place would notify us by postal or by leaving a notice at the office.

Wm Parsons, of Gilmor, Pa., was in town yesterday.

W J Colegrove and wife visited Bradford on Tuesday.

Editor Hughes of the Reporter called on us on Tuesday.

Dr Sumaght of Bradford was the guest of Col Wilcox at the Wright House on Monday last.

Thos. Hungerford, who is teaching school at Sawyer City, this county, was in town over Sunday.

John B Sprague, after a few days visit with the family of A T Palmer has left on a business trip to [illegible].

[illegible] Lanaway, who has been visiting friends in Sullivan Co., N. Y. for a month past, returned last week.

Wm Thomas who has been working at Braley's mill for several years past, is on a visit to friends in [illegible] N J.

Mr Edward [illegible] and Mr Donald of Wheeling have been visiting the family of Hon Robert H Rose the past few days.

Hon Henry Hamlin the Smethport banker and Associate Judge slipped in and out of the city very quietly to-day.—*Star 29th.*

The Myer Thomas Comedy Company are stopping at the Grand Central. They play "Lady Audley's Secret" this (Thursday) evening.

Mrs. Lydia Ross, who has been spending several weeks with her parents Mr and Mrs [illegible], returned to her home in Coudersport on Monday last.

Lawyer May[illegible] of [illegible] was looking after [illegible] which he couldn't find in the Miner office upon this week. Such persistency will win in the end.

Lawyers Jack, Wallace and Roberts of Bradford, Smith of Port Allegany, Wenzel of Kane and [illegible] of Eldred were guests of the Wright House during [illegible] term of court.

Lawyers Sunby, Mullin, [illegible] Kester and McCalmont, of Bradford, Mayo of Eldred and Blackmar of Meadville found [illegible] at the Grand Central during Argument term this week.

Lon Aldrich of Wellsville formerly of Alton who has taken the Miner twenty consecutive years called and renewed his subscription on Monday. Lon never forgets or goes back on old friends.

Baptist Church

Preaching next Sunday as usual. Important topics will be discussed at both services.

Preaching at 3 o'clock at Hamlin school house. All are welcome.

Opening Day

Mrs. T D Nash is home again from New York, and is with [illegible] assortment of goods consisting of millinery, [illegible] on Wednesday, October 7th. Mrs. Nash will have an opening. Ladies are [illegible] Turn out to the grand opening in this [illegible]

May Not be Returned

Rev Wm Bradley closed his three years pastorate over the Methodist church of this place last Sunday. [illegible] conference [illegible] Tuesday, [illegible] being held in [illegible]. His family will [illegible] him as far as [illegible] where they will remain until the close of the conference. It is safe to say that no minister ever occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church in this place who gave more universal satisfaction than Mr Bradley has given in the past year. He has won the [illegible] esteem not only of the people of his own church but of the entire community. He has only just begun to be known by the community at large, and it is the universal wish that he may be returned for the coming year. That his efforts [illegible] this community another year would be productive of great good there cannot be a doubt.

Teachers Institutes

That it is the duty of every teacher to attend the institutes there is no question. They were created by the statutes of the State and are held only for the benefit of the teachers. The following excellent remarks on this subject we find in a recent issue of the Williamsport *Gazette and Bulletin*: "Although no compensation is allowed the teacher for the time consumed in attending county institute it is their duty, nevertheless, to respond to such calls of the superintendent. The law requires the superintendent to assemble the teachers in annual convention. To do this he must notify the teachers of the place and the time of the institute. How, he asks, can the requirements be met and the institute be constituted without the presence of the teachers? It is the duty of the teachers, in order that the implied requisition of the law may be carried out, to obey the summons of the county superintendent. He has full right to demand the reason for disobedience, and if found unsatisfactory, to take such measures as will free his administration from such open disregard of the official will. As superintendent he has no personal choice in the matter, but must call the institute into session, whether he or the teachers desire or not. The superintendent, moreover, is in supreme control of the institute, and can report to the directors as heretofore—can have a careful record kept of attendance, and can insist upon such regulations as shall preserve the full orderly discipline of the institute.

Improving Stock.

There is no man in McKean county who has given more attention to the improvement of sheep stock than Commissioner Reilly, and there is no section of country where sheep thrive better than they do on our hill sides. Eighteen years ago Mr. Reilly brought to his farm near this borough a full blooded ram and five ewes of the Canadian Cotswold breed. Their offspring were scattered all through that section of the county. Prior to their introduction fleeces were only weighing from 3 to 4 lbs., and the wool was of an inferior quality. Afterwards the weight of fleeces increased to from five to eight lbs., the wool was of a finer texture and consequently more readily marketed. Mr Reilly was for many years before and after the introduction of the Cotswold a heavy buyer of wool for the eastern markets, therefore the best of opportunities of observing the effect which the improvement of the stock had upon sales. The facts in reference to the benefits arising from the introduction of the blooded stock we derive from him. The poor farm is one of the best in the county for raising and caring for good stock, and it costs no more to keep a blooded stallion, bull or ram than it does an ill-bred animal. The commissioners have wisely concluded to inaugurate an improvement in this direction, and Mr Reilly is now attending the Corry fair for the purpose of buying or ascertaining where blooded sheep can be procured. The improvement of the county stock will enure to the benefit of all the people of the county and certainly no fault will be found with the action of the commissioners.

CLERMONT CHATTINGS.

Dr. A. K. Cobb, is in Buffalo.

Rev. E. J. Brown left here for good yesterday.

L. Boyer made a short trip to the county seat yesterday.

Wm. Wadd left here to-day for Buffalo Hospital.

C H Moore, from Smethport, is in town looking after his bark jobs around here.

W H Sullivan, telegraph operator and station agent, at Marshburg, was in town over Sunday.

Sheriff Bannon was in town yesterday. The sheriff always shakes hands with friends, when he comes around.

John H Desmond informs us that when we make mention of him we must spell it correctly. All right John; we will try to.

George B Tassel of Port Allegany formerly Principal of our high school was in town over Sunday visiting friends and—never mind George.

Mr Arthur Nichols, conductor on the passenger train of the Clermont Branch of the B N Y & P R R is taking a month's vacation and an [illegible] brakeman is taking his place.

The following officers of Clermont Lodge No 940 I O O F were elected last Saturday night and are to be installed in their respective chairs next Saturday night by D D G M J H Tate: Jno W Steinhour, N G; Israel McCandless, V G; Jno O Sunbergh, Sec'y; Peter Martin, Treas.; Samuel Bedford, Trustee; J H Tate, representative to the Grand Lodge. We understand this Lodge is in a flourishing condition, has on its books 67 members in good standing and is taking in new members every month. [illegible]

Clermont, Sept [illegible]th 1885.

Mason's has all of the latest styles in Hartland [illegible]

[illegible]

There is unquestionably a rare treat in store for the citizens of Smethport and those who attend the Institute next week. Prof. Wm. Mason, [illegible] the renowned lecturer and [illegible] will appear at the Opera House in his delightful literary entertainments on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. The subject of the lecture on Tuesday evening is [illegible] by People and Wednesday evening will be devoted to [illegible]. We quote from some of the leading journals of the country their opinion of his powers as an entertainer.

N. Y. Herald—Mr. [illegible] has hardly been surpassed. He is [illegible]

N. Y. Tribune—The audience [illegible] carried with the speaker on every selection and there [illegible]

N. Y. Sun—[illegible] has a magnetic [illegible] and readily sways his hearers [illegible]

N. Y. World—One of the ablest artists the country has produced.

Chicago Times—A more complete success could neither be expected nor desired.

Boston Advertiser—His imitative faculty is equaled by few elocutionists and none use it with greater taste and judgment.

Reserved seats can be procured at Armstrong's drug store after Monday morning next.

Plucky

General Parsons, [illegible] who lives between Smethport and [illegible] Point on [illegible] last, he rowed out on the [illegible] to [illegible] for pickerel. After capturing several fine ones he hooked one that took him half an hour or [illegible]. He landed it in his boat [illegible] it was over [illegible] and weighed over thirty pounds. [illegible] Then he went home. The disappointment he felt after losing the fish was so keen that it was with difficulty that he could be induced to go to bed that night without going to the lake again and trying to capture it. He finally retired but at midnight [illegible]

"There is no use in talking," he said, "I can't sleep until I get that pickerel."

His determination was so strong that his family could not restrain him. He went back to the lake, rigged up his tackle, and began trolling in the dark. A half hour afterward he returned home with a twenty pound pickerel.

"There is the cunning old rascal," said the General placing the big fish on the kitchen table. "He couldn't sleep either, you see, knowing I would come back and give him another turn."

There was no way to tell whether the twenty pounder was the one the General lost or not, but he firmly believes that it was, and went to bed and slept like a top the rest of the night.—*N. Y. Sun.*

WHEN in want of a cheap Wood Heater call at Mason's.

Walking Typhoid.

A case of uncommon, but not unheard of, malady came under the writer's notice recently. A young married man sent a note to his wife that he was summoned to a neighboring town on business and would be away all night. As this contingency frequently arose in his occupation nothing was thought of the announcement until the next day, when, he not returning, inquiries were instituted but no trace of his whereabouts could be found. Five days later he was found in a distant western city over one thousand miles from home, about to take a train which would carry him still further toward the Pacific coast. He was brought home ill and suffered a course of typhoid fever, from which he recovered as well as ever. His physician diagnosed his case as walking typhoid and the recital in detail of his wanderings which he was able later to perfectly recall was terribly suggestive. He had passed one entire night walking up and down the suspension bridge at Niagara Falls, under the impression that his wife was to meet him there and would be frightened to find herself alone in such a place. Distressed at her failure to be on hand, he started in pursuit of her. He stopped at various hotels and restaurants, boarded and left trains always with a definite purpose. Frequently he came to his senses and knew that he was far from home and traveling under a delusion, but before he could fully recover himself the hallucination was strong upon him. It is possible that many disappearances begin in just such a half rational desire to wander, with, however, not the same fortunate ending.—*New York Graphic.*

LADIES, let not wind or weather keep you away from the Grand Opening, on Wednesday next, at Mrs. Nash's.

Col. Wilcox Seriously Injured.

This (Thursday) afternoon Mr. J. F. Rooney's team hitched to a light lumber wagon, was standing on the scales of the Extract Company in East Smethport, when the 5 o'clock whistle blew. This frightened them and they ran towards town. Upon reaching the west end of the bridge which spans Potato Creek near Ballis' mill they overtook Col A. I. Wilcox, who was riding with landlord B. F. Wright's youngest daughters in a top buggy behind his gray colt. The runaway team came upon the Col so suddenly that getting out of the way of them was impossible. They literally jumped over the buggy and in doing so [illegible]

The colonel and the children were thrown from the buggy and when picked up he was in an [illegible] condition. The children were bruised considerably, one of them having two or three teeth knocked out. The Colonel was picked up by [illegible] who were close by and [illegible] to the residence of Mr [illegible] but shortly after was removed to the Wright House. Dr Brown is attending [illegible] will be a day or two before the [illegible] of his injuries can be ascertained. Undoubtedly there [illegible] concussion of the spinal column and the brain is correspondingly affected.

His many friends hope that his injuries will not disable him many days. That [illegible] of the occupants of the buggy [illegible] is certainly miraculous.

[illegible] Guide

[illegible] the gunning [illegible] gunners and anglers [illegible] pamphlet is [illegible] by the Passenger Department of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad [illegible] descriptive of the gunning and fishing resorts of the Delaware and Maryland peninsula. [illegible] their habitat [illegible] they frequent and gives [illegible] facts from the game [illegible] and in fact all the [illegible] could desire. It [illegible] engravings of game and fish and [illegible] an excellent map [illegible] the water courses, roads and railways of the section. It is a complete manual for the gunner or angler who would find his sport in one of the best [illegible] of the Atlantic [illegible] be distributed gratuitously [illegible] may be [illegible] address [illegible] R. Wood, General Passenger Agent, Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad, Philadelphia, Pa.

Mosquitoes Killing Trout

Mr M[illegible] in a letter from Denver to [illegible] he saw under [illegible] A [illegible] swarm of [illegible] over the water where [illegible] it would [illegible] the surface of the water and rest [illegible] with the tip of [illegible] exposed. [illegible] would at [illegible] upon the shining spot at [illegible] its proboscis [illegible] into the brain of the fish which apparently was completely paralyzed [illegible]. The pests [illegible] not relax his grip but hold [illegible] would extract [illegible] After this was [illegible] the dead trout would turn over on its back and float [illegible] the stream. The observer [illegible] the number of trout [illegible] the [illegible] of half an hour by [illegible] each victim [illegible]

The Planets in October

Jupiter is morning star.

[illegible] is morning star.

[illegible] is on the [illegible] at [illegible]

Mercury is morning star until the 16th [illegible] evening star.

Venus is evening star and clearly wins [illegible] place on the October list.

Mars is morning star. He rises not long after midnight during the whole month.

Uranus is morning star. He is so near the sun that he is of little consequence for terrestrial view.

Saturn is morning star. He easily wins the first place on the October records, for a great event occurs in his history as he makes his long journey round the sun. He reaches perihelion or his nearest point to the sun. This long expected epoch takes place on the 21st at 7 o'clock in the morning. Nearly a whole generation will pass away before Saturn will be seen again in the favorable position he now occupies.—*Providence Journal.*

DIED

[illegible] At Ellerton, N. H., August [illegible]th, very suddenly of heart disease, Mr. James Barrett, captain of the Caroline Barrett, [illegible] of Keating, born [illegible]

Horses For Sale

Just received one car load of Northern Ohio horses weighing from [illegible] to thirteen hundred pounds each, suitable for draft, driving and general use. Prices reasonable.

A T PALMER.

SMETHPORT Oct 1 1885. 3t

Go to Mason's for the latest styles in Hanging Lamps.

A Senator's Misfortunes.

A dispatch from Clearfield, Pa., to the *Pittsburg Commercial Gazette* says: "The Hon William A Wallace of Clearfield whose son died on Monday morning from the effects of a fall a few days previous, is indeed an unfortunate man. A man of high literary attainments and one of the most eminent attorneys in the State he has amassed a fortune of $1,000,000 and is possessed of one of the most sumptuous and beautiful homes in Clearfield county, yet the iron hand of domestic misfortune seems to be tightening its grasp upon him, gradually robbing him of prizes for which all his wealth cannot recompense. Six years ago Mrs. Wallace, who had always been the gayest of the gay and leader of fashionable society in aristocratic old Clearfield, suddenly became demented and was placed in a private asylum at Media, Pa., for treatment. Since then all recollection of her past happy life has vanished and she recognizes none of her old friends, not even her husband. In another asylum in the same town is confined a son aged about 30 years, whose life has been blighted through the carelessness of a nurse, who allowed him to fall from her arms when a babe. And now Mr. Wallace is called upon to mourn the loss of his promising son Bishop, a young man of fine education and rare business qualifications. On last Saturday he fell from the steps of his father's office, striking his head on the curbstone, from the effects of which he died as above stated. At the time of his death the young man was cashier in a bank in Clearfield. He was 25 years of age."

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Special rates at wholesale for fall trade. Correspondence solicited.

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Valuable Farm For Sale

The subscriber offers for sale his farm of 127 acres on Rock Run in Annin township. There are about 90 acres improved. The balance is heavily timbered with hemlock. There is a good house, a Bradford barn and an excellent orchard of young trees on the property. Terms reasonable. JAMES HARKINS.
Sartwell Sept 29 '85 3t

AWFUL INCENDIARISM.—To set on fire the dwelling of an immortal soul with Alcohol is a great crime. Whoever administers Rum Bitters to the sick is guilty of it. The only medicine in existence which extinguishes disease by removing all morbid matter from the system is DR WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS, a tonic, yet free from Alcohol.

For Sale.

The subscriber offers for sale his valuable and desirable residence situated on Water street Smethport on reasonable terms. Reason for selling going west. For particulars enquire on or address
F C STLBY
Smethport Pa July 17 '85 —tf

For Sale.

The valuable property consisting of a frame dwelling house and barn, a young and thrifty orchard and a good well of water. The property is located one square above the Academy in Smethport borough and known as the Hugh Glenn property. Dr F G Brown will show the property to any one wishing to purchase. For further particulars address
MRS F J WHELAN
31 tf Bradford Pa.

For Sale.

Carriages Buggies Phaetons and Platform Spring Wagons

If you want to buy a buggy or carriage of any description please give me a call. I have in stock samples, and can sell you and deliver promptly anything you desire in this line. Prices reasonable.
A T PALMER.
Smethport Pa. July 2d '85 —tf.

When Baby was sick, we gave her CASTORIA
When she was a Child she cried for CASTORIA
When she became Miss, she clung to CASTORIA
When she had Children, she gave them CASTORIA

HATS and bonnets of the latest styles can be found at Mrs. Nash's.

As heretofore particular attention will be given to our millinery department, as I have made arrangements by which I will receive goods in that line every few days and be constantly posted on all the leading styles in hats and bonnets.
MRS. NASH.

At and Below Cost

Hats bonnets and millinery at and below cost. Other goods at the lowest market price. Must be sold. Call and examine.
MRS T D NASH
Smethport July 30 1885

For Rent

The Hotel Building located at Hamlin Station on the B N Y & P R R. (Clermont Branch.) Building in good locality and excellent repair. Also a Blacksmith Shop for rent at same place, with good set of tools. Terms reasonable. Enquire of
MRS. JOHN DIGEL,
or E. L. KEENAN,
13-tf Smethport, Pa.

WHITE Pine Petroleum Hoof Ointment, for hard and feverish hoof. Sold by H C Wells. Price 50 cts.

Honey!

Any one wishing a superior article of white clover honey can procure the same at the store of W D Gallup, H. L. Wilson or at my residence in Smethport.
WM HASKELL,
Smethport, Sept 8th, 1885. 2t

For Sale.

The subscriber offers for sale at a low figure a fine pair of five year old oxen. They are well broke and ready for any kind of business.
F. C. OLDS
Farmers' Valley, Sept 22d, 1885.

Estrayed.

On Tuesday, the 15th instant, a yearling heifer, brindle color, with white spot in forehead, strayed from the premises of the subscriber in the borough of Smethport.
JOSEPH MOLER.
Smethport, Pa., Sept. 21st, 1885. 38-3t.

LEGAL.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY VIRTUE OF SUNDRY WRITS OF FIERI FACIAS, Levari Facias and Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of McKean County, Pa., and to me directed, I will expose at public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Smethport, Pa., on

MONDAY, OCT. 5th, 1885,

at 1 o'clock p. m., the following property:

1.

All the defendant's interest in and to all the following tract of land situate in Otto township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the southwest corner of O. C. McLeush's lot, [illegible]

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold as the property of Nelson T Saunders at the suit of O. L. Mather.
Harrison & Apple, Att'ys.

2.

All the defendant's interest in and to all the following piece or parcel of land situate in the borough of Port Allegany, McKean county, Pa. bounded and described as follows: [illegible]

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold as the property of A. A. Young at the suit of M. A. Lillibridge, use of A. N. Lillibridge.
W. L. Lillibridge, Att'y.

3.

All the defendant's interest in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Norwich, county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, [illegible]

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold as the property of [illegible] at the suit of the Ex'r of the estate of A. N. Taylor, deceased, now for use of Jonathan Colegrove.
Morrison & Apple, Att'ys.

4.

All the defendant's interest in and to all that certain lot or piece of ground in the city of Bradford, county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, [illegible]

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold as the property of [illegible] De Silver Weld at the suit of the city of Bradford.
G. B. McCalmont, Att'y.

5.

All the defendant's interest in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the borough of [illegible], [illegible]

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold as the property of Benjamin Cummings at the suit of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, now for use of M. Keane et al.
T. A. Morrison, Att'y.

6.

All the defendant's interest in and to all that certain leasehold [illegible]

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold as the property of Thomas Mills at the suit of W. P. Book.
Smiley & Hastings, Att'ys.

7.

All the defendant's interest in and to all the following piece or parcel of land situate in the borough of [illegible], [illegible]

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold as the property of Eugene Spiller at the suit of C. L. Allen, use of H. M. Billings, guardian of Wilbur A. Billings.
W. E. Burdick, Att'y.

8.

All the defendant's interest in and to all the following piece or parcel of land situate in the village of Mt. Jewett, Hamlin township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, [illegible]

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold as the property of A. Hollander at the suit of Pratt & Co. et al.
Hamlin & Son, Att'ys.

9.

All the defendant's interest in and to all the following piece or parcel of land situate in the village of Mt. Jewett, Hamlin township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, [illegible]

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold as the property of H. D. Patterson at the suit of Benjamin Gothem and W. Rosamer, doing business as Gothem & Rosamer.
Hamlin & Son, Att'ys.

10.

All the defendant's interest in and to all the following piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Liberty, McKean county, Pennsylvania, [illegible]

Seized, taken to execution, and will be sold as the property of Isaac B. Bolley at the suit of use of Byron D Hamlin, Henry Hamlin and John Forrest.
John Forrest, Att'y.

11.

All the defendant's interest in and to all the following piece or parcel of land situate in Liberty township McKean county, Pennsylvania, [illegible]

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold as the property of Solomon H Barrett at the suit of use of Byron D Hamlin, H. Hamlin and John Forrest.
John Forrest, Att'y.

12.

All the defendant's interest in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in Annin township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, [illegible]

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold as the property of Owen Coyle at the suit of use of Byron D. Hamlin, Henry Hamlin and John Forrest.
John Forrest, Att'y.

13.

All the defendant's interest in and to all the following piece or parcel of land situate in Annin township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, [illegible]

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Owen Coyle at the suit of use of Byron D. Hamlin, Henry Hamlin and John Forrest.
John Forrest, Att'y.

14.

All the defendant's interest in and to all that certain lot or parcel of land situate in the city of Bradford, county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, [illegible]

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold as the property of C. M. Stone at the suit of E. B. Phelps.
Smiley & Hastings, Att'ys.

15.

All the defendant's interest in and to all that lot of land situate in the city of Bradford, county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, [illegible]

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold as the property of A. C. Scott at the suit of Wm Hart, use of Wm F. Corr now for use of N. P. Fassett.
Smiley & Morrison, Att'ys.

16.

All the defendant's interest in and to all that certain lot or parcel of land situate in the city of Bradford, McKean county, state of Pennsylvania, [illegible]

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold as the property of A. T. Newell at the suit of Huff Bros & Co.
McSweeney & Byles, Att'ys.

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa., Sept. 17, 1885.

List of Traverse Jurors

Drawn in the Court of Common Pleas of McKean County to be summoned for First Monday of Oct. 1885.

Abbey J D—Keating.
Arnos, Matthew—Eldred twp.
Anderson, Geo—Hamlin.
Albertson, J R—Bradford city.
Buchanan, P O—Knox City.
Blanchard, A E—Ludlow.
Billings, J W—Kendall.
Brown, H W—Bradford city.
Conklin, W H—Bradford city.
Chambers O W—Bradford city.
Clarkson, David—Sergeant.
Chitman W S—Eldred boro.
Carlson, Peter—Wetmore.
Dikeman, A. W.—Bolivar Run.
DeGolier B. B.—Bradford twp.
Day, Hall—Red Rock.
Evans, E. W.—Kendall.
Erskine, John—Rew Road.
Grubb, Walter—Bradford city.
Gillespie, E. B.—Foster.
Gilbert, L. B.—Foster.
Hamilton, J. S.—Sergeant.
Hodges, Raymond—Annin.
Hamlin, H. H.—Smethport.
Howe, H. S.—Red Rock.
King, C. S.—Smethport.
McMahan, John—Lafayette.
McBride, Thomas—Bradford.
McDonald, Pat—Eldred twp.
Maddison, F. W.—Bradford city.
O'Neil, Joseph—Otto.
Pier H. A.—Bradford city.
Robinson C. C.—Bradford city.
Rockwell, H.—Bradford city.
Ryan W. J.—Bella Camp.
Robinson, Clark—Kendall.
Smith, Wm.—Hamlin.
Stroup, John, Jr.—Bradford twp.
Sloan, A. D.—Bradford city.
Schafer, Robert—Duke Centre.
Strout, Taylor—Otto.
Tenney, Clinton—Lafayette.
Talmage, S. H.—Liberty.
Vival, Theo.—Summit City.
Williams, W. W.—Corydon.
Wheeler, C.—Bradford city.
Willmarth, W. A.—Eldred twp.
Watley, H.—Hixford.
Young, J. C.—Bradford twp.

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.
D. F. PATTISON, F. C. CLARK, Jury Com'rs.
Attest, JNO. R. SHOEMAKER, Clerk.
Smethport, Pa., Sept. 18th, 1885.

Application of Incorporation

In the Court of Common Pleas for the County of McKean.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the said Court, or a Law Judge thereof, on the 5th day of October, A. D. 1885, at 10 o'clock p. m., under the Corporation Act of One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-Four, and the supplements thereto, by Gust. Oberg, Henry Nordin, Andrew Norquist and C. F. Erikson, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called The Free Lutheran Evangelical Church, the character and object whereof is the support of public worship, and for these purposes to have, possess, and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the said Act and its supplements.

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Smethport, Pa., Sept. 17, 1885.—4t.

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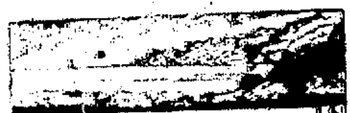

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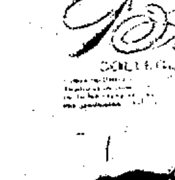

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AGRICULTURAL.

There is a wide difference of opinion among farmers as to the best manner of applying manure to the soil. It is perhaps unwise to think there is any best manner to do anything, excepting for each special case, and it is, no doubt, by ignoring this possible truth that so many diverse opinions are held, because each person considers the question from his own special point of view. For this reason it will be advisable to narrow down the present inquiry to the simple subject of applying manure to the soil for the fall grain crops, and to ask, is it better to plow it in as a preparation for feeding, or to reserve it and use it for top dressing later? There are farmers who are undecided upon this point. Some prefer to plow in the manure and to mix it with the soil, others think it does the most good to spread it upon the young grain after the setting in of the winter.

Even this bare and simple question depends upon circumstances, for in some cases one way of doing this work would be preferable to the other. If, for instance, the land is poor it is undoubtedly better to plow in the manure and mix it as intimately as possible with the soil than to leave the young plants to starve for want of the food and to give it to them after most of them are dead and gone and a small portion of them only survive in a weak and distressed condition. It is thus seen that this question is an important one to consider just now, as the loss or safety of a crop may depend upon it. On the other hand, if the soil is fertile and the farmer uses a liberal quantity of fertilizer it may be better to reserve the manure and to spread it in the winter, when it will serve the double purpose of food and shelter to the young crop, eager after the winter is over to appropriate the food thus provided for it when the previous provision has been exhausted. In this case we bring to bear the principle of repeated fertilization, which is better in many cases than to use all the manure at one time, which is when the plant cannot use it.

As a rule, farmers have to provide for poor soil, rather than for a soil overflowing with fertility, and for this reason it may be well to confine attention to the best manner of plowing in the manure for fall grain, because this manner of using it is obviously the right and best one.

The purpose and use of manure is to feed the plant; plants feed by their roots, roots spread through the soil in search of food, and the less effort they have to make in this search the better it is for the plant. The manure then should be mixed with the soil in the most intimate manner. This is best done by scattering the manure evenly over the soil, leaving no lumps or bunches. The land is then turned over with lap furrows, laying the manure and the soil in sloping layers from the surface downward as far as the plow has penetrated.

Thorough harrowing then mixes the soil and the manure together and the roots of the young plants cannot fail to find food as soon as they begin to forage for it. Moreover, this thorough mixture of the soil and the manure operates to produce rapid decomposition of the latter and its immediate reduction to plant food, while at the same time the chemical action of the decomposing manure operates on the soil itself to make its mineral particles soluble to a considerable extent. This reciprocative action is more effective if lime be used, for the lime is very active in assisting in both these effects. Thus it is seen how much better this practice of plowing in manure is than reserving it for a later season, and then scattering it on the surface; a method obviously better fitted for land abounding in fertility than for soil which urgently needs immediate help to feed the young growing crop.—*New York Times.*

WHY EVAPORATED APPLES ARE CHEAP.

There are two satisfactory reasons, at least, why evaporated apples are cheap; one is that a great many people are using evaporated, and the other that they can be profitably produced for a less price than the air of oven dried fruit. What is the use of labor saving machinery if the product is not made cheaper by it? One reason for the alleged low value of evaporated apples is, no doubt, that they are so disagreeably sulphured and made repugnant to a great many persons who dislike the sulphurous odor. It is a mistake to estimate in the cost of evaporated apples the price of the raw fruit, because it would be wasted or given to the pigs if it were not dried, and moreover, it is unwisely and too openly proclaimed that gnarled and windfall apples are good stock for evaporating. When a man cheapens his own product he should not complain if it is cheap.

PROFIT IN POULTRY.

There is profit in raising poultry when it is done on business principles. When we import over 80 [illegible] worth of eggs a year, equal to $[illegible] a week, or $[illegible] a day, it is proof that there is money in the business. This fact is not to be taken as showing that the foreign trade in eggs hurts our home product, but rather that our home product is deficient and might be safely increased. It is a poor reflection for an enlightened American citizen that he cannot keep a flock of poultry as well as a German or French woman can, and that he cannot help but suffer from the competition of any industrious foreigner. The consumption of eggs in manufactures is constantly increasing.

A LAME HORSE.

Sudden lameness in the hind leg which disappears and returns indicates occult spavin, which is inflammation of the inner part of the hock joint. It is a serious disorder, as it usually ends in bone spavin and confirmed lameness, unless it is well treated. Use cold water bandages a few days, then apply strong liniment to the hock joint once a day. Let the horse have slow exercise, but do not drive it. Moderate work is better than standing still.

It is said that 955 farms in Iowa are owned by women, and that twenty dairy farms are managed by women.

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Expelled After Using Dr. David Kennedy's "Favorite Remedy" About Two Weeks.

One of the most remarkable cases that has ever been brought to the notice of the public is that of Mr. J. H. Beach, of Stone Ridge, Ulster County, N. Y. Mr. Beach had suffered since October 23, 1873, from the presence of Calculus or Stone in the right kidney. No less than seven physicians were employed at different times, to whom Mr. Beach paid hundreds of dollars for medical treatment, with only temporary relief from his agony.

By the urgent solicitations of his friends he was induced to try Dr. David Kennedy's "Favorite Remedy," and experienced a marked improvement from the first day he began to use the medicine. On the 14th of September he voided a stone as large as could be passed through the natural channel.

Mr. Beach concludes a long letter to Dr. Kennedy by saying: "It will always afford me pleasure to recommend the 'Favorite Remedy' to those who may be suffering from difficulties of the kidneys and bladder, or any disorders arising from an impure state of the blood."

William McKnew, 124 Fayette Street, Baltimore, Md., says: "I believe 'Favorite Remedy' is a great medicine. It is doing me more good than anything I ever tried, and I have tried almost everything, for I am a sufferer from dyspepsia." While "Favorite Remedy" is a specific in Stomach and Bladder diseases, it is equally valuable in cases of bilious disorders, constipation of the bowels and all the class of ills apparently inseparable from the constitutions of women. Price, $1; six bottles, $5.

A dry goods merchant said to me: "I have a young man in my store who has been with me seven years. He has been well trained and understands the business thoroughly. If he was a head taller I would pay him twenty dollars per month more than I do now. He is too small for a successful dry goods clerk."—*Macon Telegraph.*

"What shall we do with our Daughters?"

This question is asked by a well known lady lecturer. Well, we can do a great many things with them; one thing, we must take good care of their health, and not let them run down and become enfeebled. For the feminine ailments, which may be summed up in one word —debility, we have a sovereign remedy in Brown's Iron Bitters, which has done much good. Miss Mary Greenfield, of Galatia, Ill., writes, "Brown's Iron Bitters cured me of nervousness, indigestion and general poor health." Let the other young ladies take the hint.

We should have better preaching if the preachers were all sound and healthy men. Calvin may have had the dyspepsia, but it did him no good as a theologian. A Methodist minister, of Hartford, Conn., writes that Dr. Kennedy's "Favorite Remedy" cured him of chronic liver disease and indigestion. His brethren of all denominations are respectfully invited to note the fact. Sick preachers are in poor condition to proclaim the gospel news. Sound bodies are wanted.

"Why should a red cow give white milk?" was the subject for discussion at an Arkansas literary society. After an hour's earnest debate the secretary was instructed to milk the cow and bring in a decision according to the merits of the milk. It was blue.

Dozens of letters a day pour in upon Dr. David Kennedy, of Rondout, N. Y., from people who have been benefited by using his popular preparation called Kennedy's "Favorite Remedy." And they often illustrate what this remarkable medicine accomplishes in a quite new and hitherto untried field of operation. Not infrequently patients come long distances to grasp the Doctor by the hand and express their gratitude for deliverance from pain.—*Troy (N. Y.) Daily Times.*

Arkansaw Traveler: It 'pears dat all through life de hardest thing fer ter do is de fust' arter it am done. It takes de hardes' sorter work fer split er knotty piece o' wood, but arter it is split it makes de bes' fire.

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A law has been enacted in Austria making the observance of Sunday compulsory. The law, however, contains a clause exempting from its operation Jewish tradesmen and artisans who do no work on their Sabbath.

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Air and Sea as Earth-Shakers.—The simultaneous occurrence of earthquakes and hurricanes in Spain and its neighborhood has led Mr. R. A. Proctor to make some interesting calculations. A change of half an inch in the barometer over an area of 100,000 square miles—about equal to that of the British Isles with the contained seas—would mean a variation of some 42,500 million tons in the weight of the air resting on that surface, one foot of extra tide extending outward ten miles would give an extra weight of 750 million tons on a coast 100 miles long; greater variations of barometric pressure occur, over much larger areas; and tides sometimes reach several feet beyond their usual limits, on much greater lengths of coast. "I take it, then," Mr. Proctor concludes, "that we may fairly consider that the external action exerted on the earth's crust, as the tidal wave sweeps upon a shore line, as winds heap up the seas there, as local atmospheric pressure increases and diminishes—especially during the progress of great storms—must play a most important part in producing subterranean disturbances. At every moment of time millions of millions of tons of matter, in the form of water and air, are being flung hither and thither over the surface of the earth. Can we wonder if, apart from interior causes of disturbance, the crust shows signs of occasional fluctuation?"

Measurements of the red corpuscles of the blood in fourteen different races of men have shown the average diameter to be 1-3224 of an inch, the maximum diameter being 1-2777, and the minimum 1-4000.

Short sightedness, according to a recent paper by Mr. R. B. Carter, F. R. C. S., has come into existence within historic time, and into prevalence almost within living memory, while it now affects at least ten per cent of England's population. It is essentially a defect bordering on diseases of civilization.

Science History.—Astronomy, the oldest of the sciences, is said to have originated at Babylon in observations made about 2234 B. C.; it was much advanced in Chaldea under Nabonassar, and it was known to the Chinese about 1100 B. C., if not many centuries before. Geology, the science of the earth, is claimed to have been cultivated in China long before the Christian era, and it occupied the attention of Aristotle, Theophrastus, Pliny, Avicenna and the Arabian writers. The Egyptians and Chinese claim an early acquaintance with chemistry, whose first facts were revealed by the experiments of the alchemists, but it did not become a science until the seventeenth century. Botany and zoology were founded by Aristotle, about 350 B. C.

Northern Limits of Corn Growth.—On the northeast shores of Asia corn cannot be cultivated at 54 degrees north latitude, although in the interior it matures as far north as 62 degrees. On the eastern shores of America the northern limit of its growth is 50 degrees, and on the western shores it reaches about 57 degrees, while in the intermediate country it is known to go as far as 65 degrees. The fact that it thrives farther north in the interior of continents than on the shores is thought by M. Ruysman to be due not alone to the cooling influence of ice-accumulations on the coasts but to depend largely on the greater amount of sunlight received in the dry regions far from the oceans. In Norway corn grows in latitude 70 degrees, the climate being not only warmed by proximity to the Gulf Stream but the skies being very clear as well. Even in the most northern regions, where the shade temperature is very low, vegetation may grow in sheltered spots exposed to the sun, and luxuriant scurvy grass has been found on Walden Island beyond 80 degrees north latitude.

According to Sir James Tennant, leopards have, in Ceylon at least, a strange fancy for the flesh of small pox victims, the specific odor of the disease seeming to strongly attract them.

Earthquakes at Different Seasons.—The current notion that more earthquakes occur in winter than in summer receives some support from the following table, which shows the total number of shocks recorded at the meteorological observatory of Tokio, Japan, for the respective months of the ten years ending December 10, 1884: January, 53; February, 50; March, 73; April, 43; May, 51; June, 40; July, 36; August, 27; September, 15; October, 47; November, 51; December, 60. The average per month for the ten years is 45, that for the six winter months, October to March, is 56, and for the six summer months, 35.

From the records of observations made at thirteen Prussian stations since 1876, Prof. Muttrich has determined that forests exercise a positive influence on the temperature of the air; that they lessen the daily variations of temperature, and more in summer than in winter, and that the tempering effect of the leafy forest is in summer greater than that of the pine forest, while in winter the pine forest has more influence than the defoliaged forest.

A crocus (C. Speciosa) of a remarkable rapidity of growth has been described to the botanists of the Royal Horticultural Society of London. When carefully watched, its flower stalks can almost be seen to grow, as they have been known to increase in length from four to six inches in a single night.

A bronze axe with the handle attached, probably the first specimen known to have been discovered, has just been found in Brittany by a French antiquary. The tool has a cutting edge on one end and a kind of hammer cap on the other.

It is estimated that Great Britain's coal supply will be exhausted in about 105 years if the present increase in the rate of consumption continues.

A forcible illustration of the weight of the atmosphere was given by Prof. S. P. Langley, the American astronomer, in a recent lecture in London. He remarked that the air, so limpid that it scarcely appears to be matter at all, is so enormous in mass that it really presses with nearly a ton to each square foot; so that the weight of all the buildings in the world's metropolis, for instance, is less than that of the air above them.

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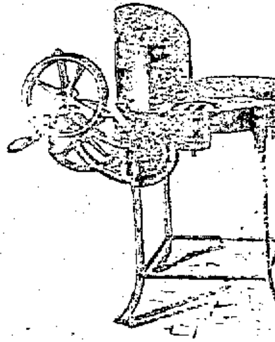

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

PHILADELPHIA & ERIE DIVISION TIME TABLE. In effect July 6, 1885.
Daily Except Sunday.

TRAINS LEAVE EMPORIUM JUNCTION EASTWARD.

8:15 a. m.—Day Express for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, Lancaster, Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and Washington, arriving at Philadelphia 6:50 p. m., New York 9:25 p. m., Baltimore 6:45 p. m., Washington 8:00 p. m. Pullman Parlor car through from Williamsport to Philadelphia.

8:50 p. m.—Erie Mail for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, Lancaster, Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and Washington, arriving at Philadelphia 8:25 a. m., New York 11:30 a. m., Baltimore 8:15 a. m., Washington 9:35 a. m. Through Pullman sleeping cars are run on this train from Erie to Philadelphia and from Williamsport to Baltimore and Washington and through passenger coaches from Erie to Philadelphia and from Williamsport to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

11:15 a. m.—Erie Mail for Erie and all intermediate stations with through Pullman Palace car and through passenger coaches to Erie.
7:10 p. m.—Niagara Express for Kane and intermediate stations with through passenger coaches to Kane.

THROUGH TRAINS for EMPORIUM JUNCTION FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Niagara Express leaves Philadelphia 7:40 a. m., Baltimore 7:30 a. m., arriving at Emporium Junction 7:10 p. m., with through Pullman Parlor car from Philadelphia to Williamsport. Erie Mail leaves New York 8:00 p. m., Philadelphia 11:20 p. m., Washington 10:30 p. m., Baltimore 11:20 p. m., arriving at Emporium Junction 11:15 a. m., with through Pullman Palace sleeping cars from Philadelphia to Erie and from Washington and Baltimore to Williamsport and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia to Erie.

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LINES OF TRAVEL.

BUFFALO NEW YORK & PHILADELPHIA RAILROAD.

Time Table takes effect May 31, 1885.

North'd			BUFFALO DIVISION.	South'd		
p.m.	p.m.	a.m.	Ar. Lv.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
7 00	2 10	8 40	Buffalo	6 00	2 40	5 3[illegible]
6 15	12 [illegible]	7 51	East Aurora	6 46	3 [illegible]	6 15
5 40	12 0[illegible]	7 17	Sardinia Jun.	9 25	3 49	6 4[illegible]
5 [illegible]	11 37	7 11	Arcade	9 3[illegible]	3 56	6 5[illegible]
5 00	11 10	6 52	Machias	9 53	4 12	7 1[illegible]
4 57	11 30	6 40	Franklinville	10 07	4 22	7 2[illegible]
4 2[illegible]	11 05	6 00	Hinsdale	10 37	4 4[illegible]	7 22
4 0[illegible]	10 44	5 30	Olean	10 5[illegible]	4 0[illegible]	8 10
2 15	7 55		Bradford	12 45	6 4[illegible]	
p.m.	a.m.	a.m.	Lv. Ar.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
2 53	10 16		Portville	11 10	5 15	[illegible]
2 21	10 01		Eldred	11 3[illegible]	5 [illegible]	[illegible]
2 12	9 [illegible]		Larrabees	11 45	5 4[illegible]	[illegible]
2 0[illegible]	9 27		Port Allegany	12 0[illegible]	6 0[illegible]	[illegible]
1 45	8 36		Emporium	1 10	7 0[illegible]	[illegible]
p.m.	a.m.		Lv. Ar.	p.m.	p.m.	a.m.
a.m.			Lv. Ar.		a.m.	
3 20			Harrisburg		3 20	
11 20			Philadelphia		6 25	
8 00			New York		10 40	
11 20			Baltimore		6 30	
10 40			Washington		9 25	
p.m.			Lv. Ar.		a.m.	

Sunday Trains.—Leave Buffalo 4.3[illegible] p. m., arrive Olean 7.15 p. m., leave Olean 7.15 a. m., arrive Buffalo 10.00 a. m., stopping at all stations.

North'd.			ROCHESTER DIVISION.	South'd		
p.m.	a.m.	a.m.	ar. le.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
6 45	11 [illegible]	9 00	Rochester	7 50	3 50	[illegible]
6 30	11 32	8 47	Terminal	8 03	4 03	[illegible]
6 25	11 05	8 40	Genesee Junc.	8 10	4 10	5 45
6 07	10 49	8 25	Scottsville	8 25	4 26	6 07
5 4[illegible]	10 30	8 00	Avon	8 43	4 45	6 29
5 30	10 21	7 47	Fowlerville	8 5[illegible]	5 00	6 4[illegible]
5 22	10 16	7 40	York	9 00	5 0[illegible]	6 48
5 05	10 00	7 22	Cuylerville	9 18	5 25	7 05
4 51	9 48	7 10	Mt Morris	9 30	5 40	7 1[illegible]
4 2[illegible]	9 2[illegible]	6 49	Tuscarora	9 50	6 00	7 42
4 21	9 20	6 40	Junction	9 5[illegible]	6 0[illegible]	7 50
3 55	8 46	a. m.	Portage	10 30	6 3[illegible]	p. m.
3 40	8 30		Wiscoy	10 45	6 50	
3 30	8 20		Fillmore	10 55	7 10	
3 14	8 0[illegible]		Caneadea	11 12	7 [illegible]	
3 0[illegible]	7 55		Belfast	11 22	7 [illegible]	
2 35	7 20		Cuba	11 5[illegible]	8 00	
2 15	7 05		Hinsdale	12 10	8 20	
1 55	6 45		Olean	12 30	8 40	
p.m.	a.m.		lv. ar.	p.m.	p.m.	
	9 10	6 30	lv. Nunda ar.	10 2[illegible]		[illegible]
	8 45		lv. Swaines ar.	11 00		
	a.m.	a.m.		a.m.	p.m.	p.m.

CLERMONT BRANCH.

L'v Northw'd		STATIONS.	L'v Southw'd	
P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.
3.10	9.20	Larrabees	11.4[illegible]	5.20
2.57	9.1[illegible]	Frisbee	11.5[illegible]	6.00
2.4[illegible]	9.00	Farmers Valley	12.0[illegible]	6.12
2.30	8.50	Smethport	12.14	6.2[illegible]
2.10	8.30	Crosby	12.2[illegible]	6.42
2.05	8.10	Colegrove	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Hamlin	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Clermont	[illegible]	[illegible]

"Narrow Gauge System." Trains leave Olean for Bradford [illegible]. Leave Bradford for Olean [illegible].

Trains run on Eastern Time.

Pullman Sleeping Cars between Erie and Philadelphia, Harrisburg and Washington on trains leaving Buffalo at 2.40 p. m. arriving Buffalo 7.00 a. m.

Get Time Tables giving full information from Company's Agents.

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THE ERIE NARROW GAUGE SYSTEM. BRADFORD, BORDELL & KINZUA RAILROAD, and BRADFORD, ELDRED & CUBA RAILROAD. Takes effect May 31, 1885.

WESTWARD.	STATIONS.	EASTWARD.
[illegible]	Bradford	[illegible]
[illegible]	Simpson	[illegible]
[illegible]	Bordell	[illegible]
[illegible]	Duke Centre	[illegible]
[illegible]	Riverside	[illegible]
[illegible]	Eldred	[illegible]
[illegible]	Little Genesee	[illegible]
[illegible]	Bolivar	[illegible]
[illegible]	Hornellsville	[illegible]
[illegible]	Corning	[illegible]
[illegible]	Elmira	[illegible]
[illegible]	Waverly	[illegible]
[illegible]	Owego	[illegible]
[illegible]	Binghamton	[illegible]
[illegible]	New York	[illegible]

Sunday Trains leave Wellsville [illegible]. Additional train [illegible].
a—Runs daily.
b—Runs daily except Sunday.
JNO. C. McKENNA, Superintendent.

CUBA BRANCH. To take effect Jan. 1, 1885.

Westward.		Stations.	Eastward.	
[illegible]	[illegible]	Ar. Cuba Lv.	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Lv. Little Genesee Ar.	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Bolivar	[illegible]	[illegible]

B. C. WILLIAMS, Gen'l Man'gr.
JNO. C. McKENNA, G. P. A.

ROCHESTER & PITTSBURG R. R. New Time Table, takes effect Monday, May 31, 1885.
ROCHESTER DIVISION.

EASTWARD.	STATIONS.	WESTWARD.
[illegible]	Ar. Rochester Lv.	[illegible]
[illegible]	Rochester Junc.	[illegible]
[illegible]	LeRoy	[illegible]
[illegible]	Pavilion	[illegible]
[illegible]	Warsaw	[illegible]
[illegible]	Silver Lake Junc.	[illegible]
[illegible]	Gainesville	[illegible]
[illegible]	Rock Glen	[illegible]
[illegible]	Farmersville	[illegible]
[illegible]	Ischua	[illegible]
[illegible]	Bradford Junc.	[illegible]
[illegible]	Salamanca	[illegible]
[illegible]	Carrollton	[illegible]
[illegible]	Limestone	[illegible]
[illegible]	Bradford	[illegible]
[illegible]	Custer City	[illegible]
[illegible]	Big Level	[illegible]
[illegible]	Ridgway	[illegible]
[illegible]	Johnsonburg	[illegible]
[illegible]	Brockwayville	[illegible]
[illegible]	Falls Creek	[illegible]
[illegible]	DuBois	[illegible]
[illegible]	Sykes	[illegible]
[illegible]	Big Run	[illegible]
[illegible]	Punxsutawney	[illegible]
[illegible]	Clarville ar	[illegible]

BUFFALO DIVISION.

EASTWARD.	STATIONS.	WESTWARD.
[illegible]	Ar. Buffalo Lv.	[illegible]
[illegible]	Williamsville	[illegible]
[illegible]	Orchard Park	[illegible]
[illegible]	East Aurora	[illegible]
[illegible]	Springville	[illegible]
[illegible]	West Valley	[illegible]
[illegible]	Ashford	[illegible]
[illegible]	Ellicottville	[illegible]
[illegible]	Salamanca	[illegible]

Connections for east and west are made at Rochester with the New York Central; at Buffalo with all roads; at Salamanca with the N. Y. P. & O. R. R.; at Bradford with the Erie and Kinzua roads; at Ridgway with the Philadelphia & Erie, and at Falls Creek with the Allegheny Valley road. [illegible]

Tickets, time tables and full information can be procured at ticket offices of the company.
JAS. T. GARDNER, Gen'l Sup't.
ISAIAH F. EMERY, Gen'l Pass'r Agt.

COUDERSPORT & PORT ALLEGANY R.R. New Time Table, to take effect [illegible], 1885.

AR.	ARR'E.	STATIONS.	L'V.	WEST.
[illegible]	[illegible]	Coudersport	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Hammonds	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Colesburg	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Sweden Valley	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Roulette	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Burtville	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Port Allegany	[illegible]	[illegible]

Trains run on eastern standard time.
B. A. McCLURE, Sup't.